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LIST OF OFFICERS

Elected and Appointed

Selectmen

EDWARD A. DeWITT, Chairman
JOHN H. PERKINS WALFRED B. SELLMAN

Board of Public Welfare

WALFRED B. SELLMAN, Chairman
EDWARD A. DeWITT JOHN H. PERKINS

Board of Health

JOHN H. PERKINS, Chairman
EDWARD A. DeWITT WALFRED B. SELLMAN

Moderator

OLIVER WOLCOTT

Town Clerk

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN

Treasurer

GEORGE E. SMITH

Tax Collector

CHESTER A. FOSTER

Surveyor of Highways

FRANCIS C. MOYNIHAN

Assessors

GEORGE E. SAFFORD, Chairman
Term expires 1937

ROBERT H. CHITTICK
Term expires 1938

JESSE S. MANN
Term expires 1936

Tree Warden

RUDOLPH H. HARADEN

Trustees of Public Library

CHESTER H. KNOWLES, Chairman
Term expires 1936

ARTHUR W. CHANDLER
Term expires 1937

KATHERINE P. STRIDE
Term expires 1938

School Committee

ROBERT ROBERTSON, JR., Chairman
Term expires 1936

FREDERIC WINTHROP, JR.
Term expires 1937

GRACE B. LAMSON
Term expires 1938

Cemetery Commissioners

LEWIS B. NORTON, Chairman (Deceased)
EVERETT F. HALEY, Chairman
Term expires 1936

RAYMOND A. WHIPPLE
Term expires 1936

LAWRENCE C. FOSTER
Term expires 1938

Water Commissioners

GEORGE E. SMITH, Chairman
Term expires 1936

LAWRENCE E. ANDERSON
Term expires 1937

CHESTER H. KNOWLES
Term expires 1938

Park Commissioners

RAYMOND H. STONE, Chairman
Term expires 1936

FRANCIS H. WHIPPLE
Term expires 1937

LAWRENCE R. STONE
Term expires 1938

Constables

CHARLES F. POOLE
EDWARD FREDERICK
ARTHUR SOUTHWICK

Chief of Police

CHARLES F. POOLE

Moth Superintendent

RUDOLPH H. HARADEN

Superintendent of Cemetery

RICHARD H. WILKINSON

Registrars of Voters

FRANK W. BUZZELL, Chairman
Term expires 1937

JOHN F. COUNIHAN
Term expires 1936

DANIEL F. CROWLEY
Term expires 1938

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN, Clerk

Sealer of Weights and Measures

FRANK B. CROWELL

Town Accountant

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN

Town Counsel

ROBERT B. WALSH

Fire Engineers

A. MERRILL CUMMINGS, Chief
DOUGLAS H. KNOWLTON — JOHN E. CROSS
EARL E. JOHNSON — RUDOLPH H. HARADEN

Finance and Advisory Committee

WILLIAM W. BANCROFT, Chairman
EDGAR D. ANDREWS — GEORGE v. L. MEYER
STANDISH BRADFORD — JOHN G. KING

Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering

ERNEST M. BARKER

Inspector of Milk

ERNEST M. BARKER

Forest Fire Warden

FRED BERRY

Field Drivers

FRED BERRY — MERRILL S. LOVERING
LORING COOK — ERNEST M. BARKER

Measurers of Wood, Lumber and Bark

JESSE S. MANN — LESTER M. WHIPPLE
RALPH BERRY — TIMOTHY A. MOYNIHAN

Keeper of Lockup

GEORGE H. HARADEN

ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1935

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit a report of the receipts and expenditures during the year 1935, showing in detail the receipts from each source of income, the appropriations and expenditures. I also present a balance sheet showing the assets and liabilities at the close of the fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN,
Town Accountant.

Receipts

TAXES

Current Year:		
Poll	$ 1,326 00	
Personal	14,132 03	
Real Estate	111,201 19	
Previous Years:		
Poll	$ 14 00	
Personal	686 52	
Real Estate	28,577 42	
		$155,937 16
From State:		
Income Tax	$10,255 51	
Corporation Tax, Business	282 67	
Forwarded	$10,538 18	$155,937 16

Brought forward	$10,538 18	$155,937 16
Corporation Tax, Gas, Electric and Water	231 92	
Race Tracks Distributions	283 50	
Veterans' Exemption	72 77	
Income Tax	324 00	
Corporation Tax	7 57	
		11,457 94

Licenses

Junk	$ 25 00	
Alcoholic Beverage	845 33	
Pool	4 00	
Milk	10 00	
Common Victuallers'	22 00	
Dance Hall	2 00	
Candy	1 00	
Revolver	22 00	
Garage	12 00	
Alcohol	8 00	
Fruit	9 00	
		960 33

Fines and Forfeits

Fines:		
Court	$315 00	
		315 00
Forwarded		$168,670 43

Brought forward		$168,670 43

GRANTS AND GIFTS

From County:		
Dog Licenses	$564 42	
From State:		
Vocational Education	$39 38	
		603 80

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

Moth Assessment, 1934	$140 69	
		140 69

PRIVILEGES

Motor Vehicle Excise:		
Current Year	$5,285 59	
Previous Years	665 08	
		5,950 67

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Sale—Water Pumps	$20 00	
		20 00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Fire—Sale of Model T Truck	$30 00	
Inspection:		
Sealer's Fees	$30 67	
Hawker's License	16 00	
Forwarded	$76 67	$175,385 59

Brought forward	$76 67	$175,385 59
Forestry:		
Highway and Moth	35 18	
Forest Warden:		
Personal Phone Calls	22 40	
		134 25

Health

From Towns	$71 00	
		71 00

Highways

From Individuals	$ 6 25	
From Commonwealth	26 25	
		32 50

Public Welfare

Outside Relief:		
Cities and Towns	$1,946 37	
State	1,876 41	
Mothers' Aid:		
State	445 67	
Old Age Assistance:		
Cities and Towns	$ 356 66	
State	1,259 08	
		5,884 19
Forwarded		$181,507 53

Brought forward		$181,507 53
Soldiers' Benefits		
State Aid	$250 00	
		250 00
Schools		
Tuition, Wenham Students	$267 75	
Sale of Supplies	16 14	
		283 89
Public Library		
Fines	$4 05	
		4 05
Cemeteries		
Care of Lots and Graves	$239 75	
Opening Graves	158 00	
		397 75
Interest		
Deferred Taxes	$1,076 93	
		1,076 93
Municipal Indebtedness		
Temporary Loans:		
Anticipation of Revenue	$70,000 00	
		70,000 00
Forwarded		$253,520 15

Brought forward		$253,520 15

AGENCY AND TRUST

Com. of Mass. (Highway Bond Issue)	$1,404 05	
County of Essex (Moulton St. Bridge)	500 00	
Dog Licenses	711 20	
Sale of Cemetery Lots	120 00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care	100 00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Income	437 00	
Allen Library Fund Income	40 00	
Dodge Library Fund Income	11 97	
		3,324 22

REFUNDS

Com. of Mass. (Highland St.)	$6,602 05	
County of Essex (Highland St.)	3,739 60	
		10,341 65

BALANCES

General Cash, Jan. 1, 1935	$2,135 66	
		2,135 66
		$269,321 68

Expenditures

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen

Salaries:		
John H. Perkins	$270 82	
Ed. A. DeWitt	329 18	
Walfred B. Sellman	197 92	
A. C. Cummings	52 08	
Clerk		
George Gibney Haraden	50 00	
		$900 00
Other Expenses:		
Harry T. Fletcher, Labor on Bounds	$ 1 75	
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	10 00	
Perambulation Town Lines:		
Hamilton-Ipswich	43 00	
Hamilton-Topsfield	30 00	
Essex Co. Selectmen's Assn., Dues	6 00	
G. G. Haraden, Expenses to Boston	5 00	
Remington Rand Co., Equipment	84 40	
Forwarded	$180 15	$900 00

Brought forward	$180 15	$900 00	
Committee Public Safety, Revolver Licenses	1 35		
A. Russell & Sons Co., Tablet for Bridge	25 33		
Mrs. A. M. Adams, Release Highland St.	1 00		
W. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	30 62		
Essex Registry of Deeds, Recording Lease	1 28		
E. A. DeWitt, Expenses to Boston	11 00		
County of Essex, Advertising Moulton St. Bridge	3 00		
Beverly Evening Times, Advertising	1 50		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	2 53		
Conway's Pharm'acy, Supplies	65		
S. Malone, Repairs	1 00		
Memorial Press, Stationery	5 12		
F. L. Rauscher, Dog Kennels	35 00		
		299 53	
Total—Selectmen			1,199 53

SELECTMEN, UNEMPLOYED ACCOUNT

Town Contributions to E. R. A.

John Anderson, Rent Derrick	$ 15 00	
Mrs. A. Adams, Gravel	6 50	
Forwarded	$21 50	$1,199 53

Brought forward	$21 50	$1,199 53
American Oil Products Co., Material	296 89	
American Ry. Express, Expressage	1 56	
B. & M. R.R., Freight	35 03	
W. W. Bancroft, Expenses to Boston	18 00	
W. W. Bancroft, Expressage	2 29	
H. K. Barnes, Material	3 85	
Alex Begg, Sharpening Tools	18 93	
G. H. Ball & Co., Expressage	1 50	
Beverly Bldg. & Wrecking Co., Lumber	15 00	
Blaisdell Express Co., Expressage	1 00	
Bond & Co., Tools	38 47	
Borden Express Co., Expressage	1 05	
Thomas Burns, Mason	29 38	
Burnham & Dodd, Plumber	2 16	
James Clemens, Rubber Boots	19 00	
Chas. N. Conrad, Dynamite	10 30	
Conway's Pharmacy, Supplies	8 75	
A. C. Cummings, Storage	7 50	
Daley's Market, Supplies	8 83	
A. W. Day, Truck	103 13	
William Dwyer, Compressor	277 75	
Dow Lumber Co., Lumber	162 24	
George W. Fitz, Labor	10 00	
Z. Goodell Co., Tools	4 46	
Forwarded	$1,098 57	$1,199 53

Brought forward	$1,098 57	$1,199 53
N. C. Goodridge, Supplies	17 55	
S. C. Gould, Tools and Supplies	15 75	
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Tools and Hardware	148 47	
Hamilton-Wenham Garage, Gas	2 64	
W. L. Hatch, Oil and Gas	68 86	
Hodges Matthies Co., Rent of Pump	70 83	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	13 00	
F. A. Houdlette & Son, Gate Valves	74 73	
J. L. Johnson, Rent Derrick	45 00	
Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas	79 71	
J. Kaufman, Burlap Bags	45 08	
Dr. H. F. Larchez, Medical Services	28 00	
Leadite Co., Leadite	165 66	
Leadite Co., Furnace	35 00	
Leadite Co., Supplies	13 66	
Ludlow Valve Co., Pipe and Valves	708 60	
L. Lamson, Truck	54 00	
Lynn Sand & Gravel Co., Material	5 75	
M. McDonough Co., Cement	359 50	
F. Maione, Truck	81 00	
S. Malone, Sharpening Tools	144 59	
B. L. Makepeace, Maps	5 51	
Forwarded	$3,281 46	

Brought forward	$3,281 46	$1,199 53
J. J. Melanson, Sharpening Tools	3 75	
Morse, Dickinson & Goodwin, Eng. Services	128 81	
T. A. Moynihan, Gravel	483 39	
T. A. Moynihan, Supplies	2 50	
T. A. Moynihan, Coal	22 60	
T. A. Moynihan, Cement	76 75	
T. A. Moynihan, Truck	6 00	
John McCourt Co., Material	37 80	
Newcomb & Gauss, Signs	5 50	
North Shore Plumbing Co., Supplies	4 37	
G. Rotundi & Son, Rent Pump	120 00	
M. B. Page Co., Material	6 50	
E. A. Philinte, Canvas Cover	2 50	
Pitman & Brown, Lumber	19 40	
J. F. Pope & Son, Lumber	7 50	
Puritan Iron Works, Material	35 25	
Riverside Filling Station, Gas	85	
R. Robertson Co., Rent Pump	12 65	
J. J. Ryerson & Son, Supplies	6 91	
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas	2 00	
Alden Southwick, Truck	104 25	
Spool Cotton Co., Supplies	19 50	
Spaulding Moss Co., Maps	1 19	
Standard Oil Co., N. J., Oil	70	
L. A. Strong, Salt Hay	5 10	
Forwarded	$4,397 23	$1,199 53

Brought forward	$4,397 23		$1,199 53
E. A. Thompson, Drilling Hydrant	11 00		
L. D. Thompson, Truck	573 00		
H. L. Trudel, Labor	3 00		
F. E. Vincent Co., Bags	1 89		
Welch & Moynihan, Stone Dust	399 48		
Waldo Bros., Jute	6 59		
Warren Pipe Co., Pipe	3,324 72		
Waters & Brown, Hdwe. Sup.	287 39		
Francis Whipple, Truck	88 50		
L. M. Whipple, Rent Plow	9 00		
R. A. Whipple, Truck	28 75		
		9,128 55	

UNEMPLOYED LABOR

Ernest Barker	$ 48 00		
Joseph Badger	142 00		
A. C. Bradstreet	152 00		
Oscar Cahoon	408 00		
Clifford Caverly	260 00		
James Chisholm	52 00		
William D. Chisholm	144 00		
M. E. Clarke	144 00		
Ralph Crowell	84 00		
Loring Cook	762 00		
J. J. Corcoran	125 50		
Thomas Burns	20 00		
A. A. Boreham	36 00		
W. E. Cheever	32 00		
Forwarded	$2,409 50	$9,128 55	$1,199 53

Brought forward	$2,409 50	$9,128 55	$1,199 53
Bertha Ayres	26 00		
L. Fraser	36 00		
E. Frederick	8 00		
A. I. Day	190 00		
Horace Day	194 00		
P. Divino	182 00		
A. A. Dolliver	84 00		
B. A. Dodge	44 00		
E. P. Dodge	270 00		
H. L. Doucette	60 00		
L. C. Foster	84 00		
F. P. Goodhue	90 00		
W. G. Goodhue	5 00		
C. A. Greene	76 00		
H. E. Harraden	40 00		
C. L. Harvey	154 00		
William Hall	226 00		
Arthur Hitchings	12 00		
Thomas Honeysett	118 25		
J. J. Hughes	78 25		
P. J. Ingraham	6 00		
T. B. Johnson	588 00		
Ed. Keating	80 00		
William Hoy	68 00		
Charles Hill	32 00		
Frank Koloski	20 00		
E. Lamberti	44 00		
Fred McGrath	40 00		
Henry LeBlanc	76 00		
Forwarded	$5,341 00	$9,128 55	$1,199 53

Brought forward	$5,341 00	$9,128 55	$1,199 53
William Rice	9 50		
Chester Landers	102 00		
O. Lightbody	164 00		
William McCarthy	242 00		
Oliver Meuse	52 00		
George Morse	144 00		
William Morse	180 00		
H. M. Ricker	296 00		
E. H. Sargeant	336 25		
L. E. Ricker	168 00		
H. L. Sanders	120 00		
J. Saunders	124 00		
J. E. Shadbolt	56 00		
G. S. Smith	187 75		
Henry Stone	115 00		
F. Tree, Jr.	108 00		
L. S. K. Whipple	398 00		
Roy Whipple	408 00		
F. Withee	50 00		
Thomas Wilson	32 00		
Henry Sonia	32 00		
William Kinsella	12 00		
		8,677 50	
OTHER EXPENSES			
Mrs. A. M. Adams, Tool Box	$ 10 00		
Barrett Co., Tarvia	1,039 50		
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	5 65		
Alex Begg, Supplies	8 14		
Forwarded	$1,063 29	$17,806 05	$1,199 53

Brought forward	$1,063 29	$17,806 05	$1,199 53
Berger Metal Culvert Co., Pipe	26 64		
Beverly Bldg. & Wrecking Co., Lumber	24 00		
Brumby's Garage, Repair Truck	11 35		
J. G. Corcoran, Medical Services	15 00		
A. M. Cummings, Repairs Truck	26 79		
H. A. Daley, Insurance	23 07		
Dow Lumber Co., Lumber	2 40		
Wm. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	2 25		
A. W. Day, Truck	159 25		
Warren Deshon, Gravel	67 20		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Hdwe.	67 22		
Hamilton-Wenham Garage, Gas and Oil	2 69		
S. C. Gould, Tools and Supplies	269 35		
Ipswich Motor Co., Tires	150 50		
Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas	178 31		
S. Malone, Sharpening Tools	20 15		
T. A. Moynihan, Materials	16 00		
J. L. Johnson, Bounds	32 50		
Morse, Dickinson & Goodwin, Eng. Services	257 83		
Peter Paul Mech. Service, Labor	1 00		
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas	6 17		
J. L. Varnum, Gas	2 00		
H. D. Wheeler, Jr., Services	18 50		
C. A. Whipple, Repairs Truck	64 00		
Forwarded	$2,507 46	$17,806 05	$1,199 53

Brought forward	$2,507 46	$17,806 05	$1,199 53
Whitman & Howard, Services in re Water	252 30		
G. Rotondi & Sons, Filling	192 00		
F. P. Trussell, Lumber	47 26		
		2,999 02	

W. P. A.—Main Street Sidewalk

Barrett Co., Tarvia	$399 00		
A. W. Day, Truck	57 00		
S. C. Gould, Tools	7 75		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Tools	41 57		
T. A. Moynihan, Gravel	3 75		
		509 07	

W. P. A. Cemetery

Alden Southwick, Truck	$ 21 00		
F. W. Whipple, Truck	31 50		
R. A. Whipple, Truck	125 05		
R. A. Whipple, Gravel	32 00		
S. Malone, Sharpening Tools	7 30		
L. Thompson, Truck	63 00		
T. Maione, Truck	31 50		
A. W. Day, Truck	21 00		
F. Maione, Truck	10 50		
		342 85	
Total Unemployed			21,656 99
Forwarded			$22,856 52

Brought forward		$22,856 52

ACCOUNTING

Salaries:		
George G. Haraden, Accountant	$1,200 00	
Other Expenses:		
R. S. Bauer, Stationery	15 55	
J. F. Duncan, Photo	1 00	
G. G. Haraden, Expenses State Auditors' Meeting	9 00	
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	7 00	
Peter Paul Mech. Service, Adding Machine and Typewriter	44 50	
Remington Rand Co., Adding Machine	63 00	
Mass. Auditors & Comptrollers, Dues	2 00	
Margaret Sargeant, Typing	5 00	
		1,347 05

TREASURY

Salaries:		
George E. Smith, Treasurer	$750 00	
Other Expenses:		
H. A. Daley, Insurance	35 00	
Barry Printing Co., Stationery	21 50	
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	3 00	
W. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	80 00	
Forwarded	$889 50	$24,203 57

Brought forward	$889 50	$24,203 57
Obrion, Russell & Co., Bond	103 00	
Registry of Deeds, Essex Co.	1 28	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	3 40	
		997 18

COLLECTOR

Salary:		
C. A. Foster, Collector	$800 00	
Other Expenses:		
Mass. Tax Coll. Assn., Dues	$ 2 00	
G. G. Haraden, Typing	5 00	
Salem Evening News, Printing	18 00	
C. A. Foster, Attending Assessors and Collectors Meetings	17 16	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	13 08	
T. A. Holland & Co., Bond	198 80	
D. H. Knowlton, P. M., Stamps	80 67	
North Shore Printing Co., Stationery	40 50	
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	6 50	
Registry of Deeds, Registration Fees	46 70	
Geo. E. Smith, Notarial Fees	1 25	
F. W. Gilmore, Interest Table	5 00	
		1,234 66
Forwarded		$26,435 41

Brought forward			$26,435 41

Assessors

Salaries:			
Geo. E. Safford, Chairman	$350 00		
Robert H. Chittick	225 00		
Jesse S. Mann	225 00		
		$800 00	
Other Expenses:			
G. E. Safford, Clerical	$320 00		
R. H. Chittick, Clerical	335 00		
J. S. Mann, Clerical	265 00		
Wm. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	4 75		
A. W. Brownell Corpn., Stationery	1 25		
G. R. Barnstead & Son, Tax Cards	2 00		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	28 80		
Lilla D. Stott, Services Reg. Deeds	41 23		
Stoneham Independent, Stationery	1 00		
		999 03	
			1,799 03

Election and Registration

Salaries Registrars:			
F. W. Buzzell	$50 00		
D. F. Crowley	50 00		
Forwarded	$100 00		$28,234 44

Brought forward	$100 00		$28,234 44
J. F. Counihan	50 00		
G. G. Haraden	50 00		
		$200 00	
Recount:			
F. W. Buzzell	$5 00		
D. F. Crowley	5 00		
J. F. Counihan	5 00		
G. G. Haraden	5 00		
		20 00	
Tellers:			
F. Back	$10 00		
Ella F. Burke	10 00		
F. B. Crowell	10 00		
Annie Cunningham	10 00		
J. William Cunningham	10 00		
Walter Fowler	10 00		
G. G. Haraden	10 00		
E. J. Ready	10 00		
Lester Stanley	10 00		
		90 00	
Constables:			
Arthur Southwick	$19 00		
E. Frederick	10 00		
		29 00	
Other Expenses:			
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	$ 1 00		
Daley's Mkt., Groceries	20 70		
Forwarded	$21 70	$339 00	$28,234 44

Brought forward	$21 70	$339 00	$28,234 44
Ladies Aid Soc., Dinners	6 00		
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	4 00		
Newcomb & Gauss, Printing	102 75		
Spencer Mfg. Co., Sign	5 11		
Ruth P. Whipple, Typing	45 00		
		184 56	
		$523 56	

Law

Robert B. Walsh, Legal Services		300 00	

Other Finance Accounts

Com. of Mass., Certifying Notes		4 00	

Town Clerk

Salary:			
George G. Haraden	$500 00		
Other Expenses:			
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	31 00		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	5 00		
Carter's Ink Co., Ink	5 02		
H. A. Daley, Bond	5 00		
G. G. Haraden, Fees	89 75		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	2 11		
Forwarded	$637 88	$827 56	$28,234 44

Brought forward	$637 88	$827 56	$28,234 44
Peter Paul Mech. Service on Adding Machine	6 00		
Margaret Sargeant, Typing	2 35		
		646 23	
			1,473 79

Town Hall

Salary:			
Geo. H. Haraden, Janitor	$1,000 00		
Other Expenses:			
Charles E. Alden, Supplies	$1 95		
F. L. Bailey, Repairs	8 54		
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	1 75		
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Light	308 42		
Burnham & Dodd, Repairs	29 40		
F. D. Clarke, Supplies	1 00		
Conway's Pharmacy, Supplies	10 35		
W. J. Daley, P. M., Box Rent	1 40		
S. Malone, Repairs	1 75		
Daley's Mkt., Supplies	33 55		
O. A. Duquette, Sharpening Mower	3 38		
G. W. Fitz, Repairs	20 26		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	15 50		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	5 20		
G. H. Haraden, Laundry	4 85		
Forwarded	$1,447 30		$29,708 23

Brought forward	$1,447 30		$29,708 23
E. E. Johnson, Supplies	50		
J. B. Kidney Co., Painting Flag Pole	15 00		
N. E. T. & T. Co., Telephone	310 99		
L. B. Norton, Repairing Clock	1 50		
North Shore Office Equipment Co., Typewriter Desk	25 00		
C. E. McQueeney, Elec. Work	13 40		
Mass. Reformatory, Chair	10 22		
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel	440 21		
Royal Typewriter Co., Typewriter	118 75		
Santry Products Co., Supplies	8 90		
F. R. Schaller, Tuning Piano	10 00		
R. S. Stone, Sharpening Mower	1 50		
F. E. Vincent Co., Supplies	21 90		
Yawman & Erb Mfg. Co., Filing Cabinet	41 21		
		2,466 38	
Boston & Maine Railroad Co., Final Payment Walnut St. Property		1,534 26	

WATER COMMITTEE

Allen Fuel Co., Oil	$ 10 43		
Barry Printing Co., Stationery	8 75		
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Current for Pump	122 46		
G. W. Fitz, Repairs	7 50		
Forwarded	$149 15	$4,000 64	$29,708 23

Brought forward	$149 14	$4,000 64	$29,708 23
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	20 80		
G. H. Haraden, Desk	7 00		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	9 15		
F. B. Crowell, Labor	5 50		
T. A. Moynihan, Oil	17 34		
C. E. Dodge, 25-year Lease of Drain	50 00		
Burnham & Dodd, Repairs	2 00		
B. L. Makepeace, Inc., Maps	2 75		
Elmer Smith, Maps	35 00		
		298 68	

State Census

Dorothy Greeley, Typing	$ 5 85		
H. B. Cullity, Services	112 35		
R. S. Bauer & Co., Stationery	3 00		
		121 20	
			4,420 52

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police

Salaries and Wages:			
Levi Alexander	$ 34 20		
Frank Crowell	10 20		
John Foster	10 80		
E. Frederick	411 60		
Forwarded	$466 80		$34,128 75

Brought forward	$466 80		$34,128 75
G. H. Haraden	61 80		
C. F. Poole	396 60		
F. L. Rauscher	30 90		
Fred Saunders	27 60		
Rudolph Smerage	10 80		
Arthur Southwick	335 40		
Lester Stanley	10 80		
Francis Whipple	73 80		
R. H. Wilkinson	10 80		
		1,425 30	
Other Expenses:			
L. E. Alexander, Use of Car	$ 5 00		
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Light	29 79		
Conway's Pharmacy, Flashlights and Batteries	8 31		
A. C. Cummings, Transportation	4 00		
W. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	5 00		
Mark Damsky, Coat	5 00		
E. Frederick, Transportation	10 00		
John Foster, Transportation	4 00		
Nathan H. Foster, Stationery	3 20		
Hamilton Diner, Meals	6 50		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	3 00		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	4 42		
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., Supplies	2 47		
Forwarded	$90 69	$1,425 30	$34,128 75

Brought forward	$90 69	$1,425 30	$34,128 75
E. E. Johnson, Supplies	1 60		
M. Koll, Cleaning Uniform	3 00		
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	29 75		
L. Marchand, Police Matron	5 00		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	107 76		
C. F. Poole, Express & Transportation	43 00		
F. L. Rauscher, Serving Dog Warrant	35 00		
J. J. Rhodes, Signs	3 50		
G. Sargeant, Revolver	15 00		
Spencer Mfg. Co., Badges	13 11		
F. P. Trussell, Repairs	7 52		
F. E. Vincent & Co., Paint	12 50		
Carolyn Washburn, Typing	3 00		
		370 43	
			1,795 73
Payments, Police	$1,795 73		
Receipts, Court Fines	315 00		
Net Cost of Department	$1,480 73		

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Pay Roll:			
L. E. Anderson	$ 50 50		
M. N. Babcock	50 50		
J. A. Brumby	51 00		
A. M. Cummings	84 00		
Forwarded	$236 00		$35,924 48

Brought forward	$236 00		$35,924 48
F. C. Cummings	5 00		
John Cross	54 50		
Frank Dane	30 50		
R. H. Chittick	24 50		
E. A. DeWitt	43 50		
H. G. Dodd	36 00		
B. A. Dodge	31 50		
E. P. Dodge	43 00		
W. B. Dodge	28 00		
E. F. Haley	36 00		
G. H. Haraden	25 50		
R. H. Haraden	50 00		
S. C. Hill	47 00		
Joseph Jeddrie	33 50		
E. E. Johnson	25 00		
A. C. Kirby	28 50		
D. H. Knowlton	37 00		
M. S. Lovering	33 00		
A. L. Perley	35 00		
Carl G. Ricker	36 50		
R. A. Smerage	32 50		
F. F. Stillings	25 00		
L. R. Stone	34 50		
Henry Pfaff	24 00		
E. A. Underhill	25 50		
R. A. Whipple	44 00		
		$1,105 00	
Forwarded		$1,105 00	$35,924 48

Brought forward		$1,105 00	$35,924 48
Other Expenses:			
American La France Co., Equipment	$ 15 59		
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Light and Power	130 68		
Brunswick Balke Collender Co.	50		
Burnham & Dodd, Repairs	5 00		
F. M. Batchelder Co., Badges	7 25		
Conway's Pharmacy, Supplies	32 00		
S. C. Gould, Supplies	16 65		
Alex. Begg, Supplies	1 25		
M. N. Babcock, Repairs	6 00		
A. M. Cummings, Equipment Repairs	200 00		
Depot Sq. Filling Station, Gas	84		
H. A. Daley, Insurance	50 61		
W. B. Dodge, Janitor	200 00		
E. & J. Co. of N. Y., Equipment	6 00		
Fabric Fire Hose Co., Hose	480 30		
H. B. Foster, Typing	2 00		
Essex Tire & Supply Co., Equipment	13 25		
Gorham Fire Equipment Co., Equipment	2 85		
Hamilton Diner, Lunches	3 00		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	8 55		
Forwarded	$1,227 32	$1,105 00	$35,924 48

Brought forward	$1,227 32	$1,105 00	$35,924 48
S. C. Hill, Repairs	1 60		
R. H. Haraden, Clerk	50 00		
Hamilton Wenham Garage, Gas, Oil, Repairs	73 70		
A. C. Holland Co., Insurance	173 00		
E. E. Johnson, Paper and Advertisement	4 25		
D. H. Knowlton, Stamps	5 60		
Nancy Knowlton, Typing	3 00		
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel	123 10		
Newcomb & Gauss, Printing	6 00		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	97 72		
North Shore Fire Appliance Co., Equipment	68 68		
R. Robertson Co., Equipment	2 56		
Carl G. Ricker, Repairs to Equipment	9 20		
Seagrave Corpn., Equipment	10 85		
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas	2 17		
F. P. Trussell, Repairs	20 45		
Robert M. Wood, Equipment	200 75		
		2,034 95	
			3,139 95

New Truck

Robert M. Wood	$2,000 00	2,000 00
Forwarded		$41,064 43

Brought forward			$41,064 43

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Fred Berry, Warden's Salary	$30 00		
Fred Bell, Services Fighting Fire	8 00		
Fred Berry, Services Fighting Fire	19 00		
Henry A. Rausch, Services Fighting Fire	4 00		
L. Thompson, Services Fighting Fire	1 00		
Raymond Tucker, Services Fighting Fire	1 00		
		$63 00	
Other Expenses:			
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	$46 76		
Ernest Berry, Fighting Fire	17 00		
L. S. K. Whipple, Fighting Fire	1 00		
Anton Wiseman, Fighting Fire	2 00		
Bert Young, Fighting Fire	17 00		
		83 76	
			146 76
Payments, Forest Warden	$146 76		
Receipts, Personal Toll Calls	22 40		
Net Cost	$124 36		
Forwarded			$41,211 19

Brought forward			$41,211 19

GAME WARDEN

Frank L. Bailey, Salary	$10 00		10 00

MOTH (TOWN)

R. H. Haraden, Tree Warden, Salary	$798 00		
E. P. Dodge, Wages	197 06		
Fred McGrath, Wages	227 50		
M. Babcock, Wages	18 00		
E. M. Haraden, Wages	6 00		
		1,246 56	
Other Expenses:			
E. R. Abbott, Teams	$96 75		
A. C. Cummings, 1 year Storage Truck	66 00		
A. M. Cummings, Gas	2 17		
Frost Insecticide Co., Supplies	1 90		
H. A. Daley, Insurance	184 34		
Daley's Mkt. and Grocery, Supplies	20		
Depot Sqare Filling Station, Gas	11 71		
S. C. Gould, Arsenate Lead	26 20		
Graybrook Garage, Gas	50		
Hamilton-Wenham Garage, Gas, Oil, Repairs	91 90		
Forwarded	$481 67	$1,246 56	$41,221 19

Brought forward	$481 67	$1,246 56	$41,221 19
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	3 17		
Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas	37 63		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	21 50		
Philipp Bros., Inc., Arsenate Lead	93 81		
A. E. Smith, Repairs	5 20		
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas	7 63		
Register of Motor Vehicles	2 00		
		652 61	
			1,899 17

MOTH (PRIVATE)

R. H. Haraden, Wages	$237 50	
E. P. Dodge, Wages	144 07	
F. McGrath, Wages	222 25	
E. M. Haraden, Wages	47 00	
M. Babcock, Wages	31 32	
		$682 14
Other Expenses:		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Hdwe.	$ 37	
Burnham & Dodd, Repairs	2 50	
R. H. Chittick, Supplies	10 25	
A. W. Day, Truck	82 50	
Daley's Mkt., Spraying Oil	66 40	
Frost Insecticide Co., Spraying Oil	22 43	
Forwarded	$184 45	$682 14 $43,120 36

Brought forward	$184 45	$682 14	$43,120 36
Philipp Bros., Inc., Arsenate Lead	93 80		
Jenney Mfg. Co., Gas	13 68		
E. R. Abbott, Team	72 00		
S. Malone, Repairs	18 00		
S. C. Gould, Sulphur	10 00		
		391 93	
			1,074 07

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Frank B. Crowell, Salary	$200 00		
Frank B. Crowell, Transportation	76 68		
Essex Plating Co., Plating Weights	6 00		
W. and L. E. Gurley, Equipment and Supplies	11 61		
Hobbs & Warren, Stationery	1 05		
R. A. Whipple, Trucking	4 00		
			299 34

Tree Warden

R. H. Haraden, Wages	$446 50		
E. P. Dodge, Wages	151 00		
F. E. McGrath, Wages	194 50		
E. M. Haraden, Wages	10 00		
M. N. Babcock, Wages	11 50		
		$813 50	
Forwarded		$813 50	$44,493 77

Brought forward	$813 50		$44,493 77
Other Expenses:			
Cherry Hill Nurseries, Trees	$51 94		
S. C. Gould, Tools	10 25		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	5 35		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	5 00		
R. H. Wilkinson, Filing Saws	11 25		
R. Abbott, Filing Saws	2 50		
		86 29	
			899 79

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health

Salaries:			
A. C. Cummings	$10 40		
E. A. DeWitt	25 00		
J. H. Perkins	44 80		
W. B. Sellman	19 80		
G. G. Haraden, Clerk	50 00		
		$150 00	
Other Expenses:			
E. M. Barker, Milk Inspector	$50 00		
F. L. Rauscher, Destroying Cats and Dogs	4 00		
G. A. Harrigan, Collecting Garbage	378 32		
M. F. Harrigan, Collecting Garbage	756 64		
Forwarded	$1,188 96	$150 00	$45,393 56

Brought forward	$1,188 96	$150 00	$45,393 56
R. A. Whipple, Collecting Rubbish	809 20		
W. D. Chisholm, Labor	2 00		
Essex County Health Assn., Board and Care	40 00		
Essex Sanatorium, Board and Care	296 40		
G. H. Haraden, Burying 2 Dogs	2 00		
A. R. Larchez, Med. Service	5 00		
H. F. Larchez, Med. Service	37 00		
		2,380 56	
			2,530 56

Inspector of Animals

E. M. Barker, Inspector	$63 00	63 00

Assessment by County

Maintenance of Essex Sanatorium	$1,281 96	1,281 96

HIGHWAY

F. C. Moynihan, Surveyor	$1,500 00	
F. Back, Labor, Wages	637 00	
F. Baker, Wages	54 25	
S. Barron, Wages	22 00	
J. Burke, Wages	4 25	
Forwarded	$2,217 50	$49,269 08

Brought forward	$2,217 50	$49,269 08
Thomas Burke, Wages	130 00	
W. Buzzell, Wages	47 25	
F. Colwell, Wages	2 25	
J. Danforth, Wages	23 75	
M. Donlon, Wages	98 25	
E. Dwyer, Wages	4 25	
G. H. Haraden, Wages	25 00	
W. Hughes, Wages	40 25	
H. Johnson, Wages	2 25	
William Kinsella, Wages	116 50	
P. Lamberti, Wages	39 50	
A. Malone, Wages	85 25	
A. Maione, Wages	5 50	
T. W. Maione, Wages	494 91	
D. F. Moynihan, Wages	56 88	
Hugh Mullen, Wages	4 25	
H. Sanders, Wages	4 25	
G. Sargeant, Wages	696 75	
Thomas Walsh, Wages	47 25	
Ed Welch, Wages	4 25	
Thos. Wilson, Wages	20 00	
Henry Stone, Wages	537 75	
E. H. Sargeant, Wages	20 00	
Other Expenses:		
American Oil Products Co., Road Patch	$1,919 46	
Alex. Begg, Sharpening Tools	38 18	
Berger Metal Culvert Co., Pipe	160 65	
Forwarded	$6,842 08	$49,269 08

Brought forward	$6,842 08	$49,269 08
Brumby's Garage, Repairs	22 93	
Buffalo Springfield Roller Co., Supplies	30 99	
Burnham & Dodd, Repairs	3 60	
Robert Caverly, Truck	24 00	
A. M. Cummings, Repairs	18 43	
A. C. Cummings, Storage	50 00	
A. W. Day, Truck	21 00	
Depot Sq. Filling Station, Gas	13 86	
Dyer Sales & Machinery Co., Equipment	51 90	
S. C. Gould, Supplies	25	
Hamblett & Hayes Company, Chloride	142 80	
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	57 04	
Hamilton Wenham Garage, Gas, Oil, Repairs	452 65	
W. L. Hatch, Gas, Oil	101 87	
A. C. Holland Co., Insurance	791 44	
J. L. Johnson, Stone Curbing	515 94	
T. W. Maione, Truck	281 25	
S. Malone, Sharpening Tools	72 20	
J. W. Goodhue Corpn., Supplies	8 25	
F. D. MacDonald, Stakes	10 50	
F. C. Moynihan, Freight and Telephone	25 56	
Forwarded	$9,538 54	$49,269 08

Brought forward	$9,538 54	$49,269 08
T. A. Moynihan, Trucks, Material, etc.	2,176 35	
Morse, Dickinson & Goodwin, Eng. Services	13 92	
M. H. Noonan Co., Sand	40 50	
J. J. Rhodes, Signs	31 40	
G. Sargeant, Tending Lanterns	54 00	
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas and Oil	137 17	
E. H. Sargeant, Carpenter's Services	21 15	
G. Rotondi & Son, Filling	192 00	
Alden Southwick, Truck	12 00	
J. L. Varnum, Gas and Oil	14 00	
Welch & Moynihan, Stone Dust and Trucks	750 47	
Winchester Brick Co., Brick	16 13	
		12,997 63

Railroad Avenue Sidewalk

Sundry Persons, Labor	$391 50	
A. W. Day, Truck	21 00	
T. A. Maione, Truck	39 00	
T. A. Moynihan, Truck	39 00	
T. A. Moynihan, Sand	23 75	
Alden Southwick, Truck	33 00	
F. P. Trussell, Lumber	24 35	
J. L. Johnson, Curbing	143 65	
Forwarded	$715 25	$62,266 71

Brought forward	$715 25	$62,266 71
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Tools	38 59	
Lynn Sand & Stone Co., Cement	245 76	
		999 60

Appleton Avenue Special

Sundry Persons, Labor	$1,080 45	
T. A. Moynihan, Truck	111 00	
T. A. Moynihan, Material	138 45	
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel	8 35	
Morse, Dickinson & Goodwin, Eng. Services	18 56	
Alden Southwick, Trucks	180 00	
Welch & Moynihan, Trucks	180 00	
T. W. Maione, Trucks	64 50	
Gove Lumber Co., Lumber	18 00	
		1,799 31

Highland Street

G. Rotondi & Son, Contractors	$12,951 07	
N. S. Mitchell, Timekeeper and Tending Lanterns	120 00	
Curtis Guild & Co., Advertising	10 50	
Leslie Sign System, Advertising	16 00	
N. E. Road Builders Assn., Advertising	17 05	
Forwarded	$13,114 62	$65,065 62

Brought forward	$13,114 62	$65,065 62
Boston American, Advertising	21 60	
Globe Newspaper Co., Advertising	16 80	
Salem Evening News, Advertising	8 00	
Boston Post, Advertising	18 90	
T. A. Moynihan, Truck and Gravel	46 50	
Sundry Persons, Labor	42 05	
Barrett Co., Tarvia	73 60	
Conway's Pharmacy, Films	3 46	
		13,345 53

Snow Removal

Carl Anderson, Labor	$ 20 75
M. N. Babcock, Labor	10 50
C. Baker, Labor	6 50
F. Back, Labor	206 25
H. Back, Labor	28 25
R. Bancroft, Labor	14 00
James Barker, Labor	6 75
E. M. Barker, Labor	8 00
S. D. Barron, Labor	57 00
M. Brown, Labor	21 25
C. Baker, Labor	12 75
R. Barron, Labor	14 75
J. Back, Labor	14 25
J. Carlson, Labor	17 00
Forwarded	$438 00

	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$438 00	$78,411 15
F. Burns, Labor	19 25	
J. Bridges, Labor	6 50	
W. Buzzell, Labor	39 25	
Milton Brown, Labor	12 50	
John Burke, Labor	25 75	
Thomas Burns, Labor	31 87	
O. Cahoon, Labor	9 75	
F. Cameron, Labor	24 50	
R. Cameron, Labor	43 50	
L. Caverly, Labor	6 00	
W. E. Cheaver, Labor	21 00	
J. Chisholm, Labor	19 25	
William Chisholm, Labor	27 00	
M. E. Clarke, Labor	19 00	
G. Colwell, Labor	18 50	
R. Colwell, Labor	12 75	
J. J. Corcoran, Labor	13 25	
J. J. Corcoran, Jr., Labor	8 75	
B. Crowell, Labor	6 75	
G. Crowell, Labor	16 50	
W. Carter, Labor	19 25	
F. Caldwell, Labor	2 25	
Harry Case, Labor	20 50	
J. Darcy, Labor	4 00	
E. A. DeWitt, Labor	14 00	
H. Day, Labor	19 75	
A. I. Day, Labor	2 75	
P. Divino, Labor	18 75	
W. Dixon, Labor	15 00	
Forwarded	$935 87	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$935 87	$78,411 15
M. Darcey, Labor	8 00	
B. A. Dodge, Labor	10 75	
E. P. Dodge, Labor	10 25	
H. M. Dodge, Labor	5 00	
Wendell Dodge, Labor	11 50	
W. F. Dodge, Labor	15 75	
J. Donlon, Labor	10 25	
M. Donlon, Jr., Labor	33 00	
H. Durham, Labor	7 25	
C. Dwyer, Labor	9 00	
E. Dwyer, Labor	25 75	
H. L. Doucette, Jr., Labor	28 50	
R. Dunn, Labor	19 25	
J. Dunn, Labor	14 25	
G. Dunn, Labor	12 50	
J. Darcey, Labor	23 50	
S. Darcey, Labor	6 00	
H. Doucette, Labor	11 00	
W. Fowler, Jr., Labor	12 50	
L. Doucette, Labor	23 50	
L. Foster, Labor	23 00	
E. H. Frederick, Labor	42 00	
L. Fraser, Labor	27 50	
J. Gildart, Labor	14 50	
L. Glover, Labor	15 25	
F. P. Goodhue, Labor	30 50	
William Goodhue, Labor	6 50	
T. Greene, Labor	13 50	
F. Grove, Labor	2 25	
Forwarded	$1,408 37	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$1,408 37	$78,411 15
R. Greeley, Labor	12 50	
R. Hamilton, Labor	19 50	
C. Haraden, Labor	28 00	
E. M. Haraden, Labor	42 00	
G. Haraden, Labor	50 50	
G. H. Haraden, Labor	62 50	
H. Harraden, Labor	15 25	
C. Harding, Labor	37 00	
E. Hitchins, Labor	13 00	
E. Honeysett, Labor	27 50	
T. Honeysett, Labor	27 50	
R. Holland, Labor	19 25	
R. Hiller, Labor	25 50	
C. Henley, Labor	6 00	
C. Harvey, Labor	19 75	
Jerry Hawkins, Labor	23 25	
C. A. Hill, Labor	6 50	
Hollis Hitchings, Labor	23 00	
Arthur Hopping, Labor	12 00	
William Hoy, Labor	26 00	
H. Hughes, Labor	16 25	
J. J. Hughes, Labor	8 25	
W. Hughes, Labor	21 75	
R. Hamilton, Labor	15 50	
A. Jones, Labor	12 00	
C. Jones, Labor	19 25	
H. Johnson, Labor	12 50	
F. Johnson, Labor	9 50	
Thomas Kelliher, Labor	19 25	
Forwarded	$2,039 12	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$2,039 12	$78,411 15
Harold Knowlton, Labor	18 50	
Wallace Knowlton, Jr., Labor	18 75	
Frank Koloski, Labor	19 25	
William Kinsella, Labor	31 25	
A. Koloski, Labor	14 75	
C. Kirby, Labor	6 00	
R. Laravie, Labor	11 50	
E. Laski, Labor	8 50	
F. Laski, Labor	19 00	
E. Lamberti, Labor	19 25	
P. Lamberti, Labor	18 75	
O. Lightbody, Labor	19 25	
M. Lovering, Labor	22 75	
Archie Moore, Labor	4 00	
M. MacGregor, Labor	18 00	
E. MacGregor, Labor	36 00	
Ed. MacGregor, Labor	32 00	
A. McRae, Labor	12 50	
A. MacCurrach, Labor	23 50	
William McDonald, Labor	20 50	
F. McGrath, Labor	19 25	
G. McColluck, Labor	23 50	
T. W. Maione, Labor	142 75	
Frank Maione, Labor	9 25	
A. Malone, Labor	7 50	
F. E. Manthorn, Labor	48 00	
Ed. Meyer, Labor	1 25	
A. Maione, Labor	11 50	
G. Magnum, Labor	7 50	
Forwarded	$2,856 96	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$2,856 96	$78,411 15
G. McDonald, Labor	23 50	
Arthur Moore, Labor	28 00	
William Moore, Labor	10 75	
E. Mitchell, Labor	14 75	
George Morse, Labor	31 50	
William Morse, Labor	28 00	
D. F. Moynihan, Labor	25 50	
Hugh Mullins, Labor	25 75	
John Mullins, Labor	14 50	
Harry Moore, Labor	37 00	
L. Mullen, Labor	8 25	
A. Perkins, Labor	6 75	
A. L. Peterson, Labor	16 50	
Ed. Peabody, Labor	19 75	
L. M. Peterson, Labor	12 75	
G. Perkins, Jr., Labor	8 50	
H. Phillips, Labor	17 25	
R. Peale, Labor	10 75	
L. Pappas, Labor	5 50	
J. M. Peterson, Labor	1 50	
A. Rhodes, Labor	50	
J. A. Rhodes, Labor	1 00	
H. M. Ricker, Labor	12 75	
L. E. Ricker, Labor	14 00	
W. C. Rice, Labor	16 25	
B. Robertson, Labor	3 75	
M. Sanford, Labor	12 50	
Ed. Saunders, Labor	15 75	
John Saunders, Labor	19 25	
Forwarded	$3,299 46	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$3,299 46	$78,411 15
H. Sanders, Labor	22 25	
E. H. Sargeant, Labor	58 25	
G. Sargeant, Labor	386 00	
Thomas Sargeant, Labor	16 75	
G. S. Smith, Labor	10 00	
Robert Smith, Labor	2 00	
Sidney Smith, Labor	12 00	
Harry Sargeant, Labor	27 50	
Joseph Sanders, Labor	6 50	
E. Stevens, Labor	4 25	
E. R. Stone, Labor	6 50	
C. Stevens, Labor	10 50	
F. Stillings, Labor	24 75	
Henry Stone, Labor	26 75	
Raymond Stone, Labor	13 25	
William Stone, Labor	3 75	
A. Stillings, Labor	9 25	
G. Thompson, Labor	18 50	
L. D. Thompson, Labor	13 50	
P. Thimmer, Labor	8 50	
Victor Tremblay, Labor	6 00	
A. Tinkham, Labor	25 00	
Smith Tinkham, Labor	17 00	
A. Tremblay, Labor	21 75	
Raymond Tucker, Labor	33 50	
Robert Tucker, Labor	35 50	
F. Tree, Labor	31 00	
A. Upton, Labor	17 00	
L. Varnum, Labor	10 50	
Forwarded	$4,155 21	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$4,155 21	$78,411 15
R. Tuck, Labor	8 50	
John Adams, Labor	1 25	
B. Wilkinson, Labor	14 00	
Harry Wetson, Labor	5 00	
John Walsh, Labor	14 75	
E. Welch, Labor	14 50	
Thomas Walsh, Labor	20 75	
F. Williams, Labor	2 25	
C. Whipple, Labor	30 00	
L. S. K. Whipple, Labor	35 50	
Roy Whipple, Labor	31 75	
R. Wilkinson, Labor	14 00	
R. H. Wilkinson, Labor	8 00	
Thomas Wilson, Labor	26 00	
F. Withee, Labor	16 00	
J. Badger, Labor	18 00	
E. Beliveau, Labor	30 50	
K. Beal, Labor	22 50	
C. L. Blenkhorn, Labor	18 00	
Earl Faulkner, Labor	21 00	
Fred Faulkner, Labor	30 50	
G. Biledeau, Labor	11 25	
J. McDonald, Labor	11 50	
H. Morgan, Labor	16 00	
A. Burchsted, Labor	12 00	
L. McCullock, Labor	16 00	
F. Dagrasta, Labor	15 50	
W. Emeny, Labor	11 50	
W. Gray, Labor	17 75	
Forwarded	$4,648 46	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$4,648 46		$78,411 15
C. Fidele, Labor	14 25		
F. Caldwell, Labor	13 00		
D. Maione, Labor	15 25		
A. Lougee, Labor	11 25		
E. Little, Labor	9 50		
J. Bridges, Labor	13 00		
C. O'Donnell, Labor	8 75		
John Adams, Labor	15 75		
H. Dodge, Labor	7 75		
H. Stilline, Labor	8 75		
J. Stilline, Labor	4 50		
T. Stilline, Labor	16 50		
A. Grant, Labor	2 50		
C. Grant, Labor	4 00		
W. Grant, Labor	2 50		
George Harrigan, Jr.	6 00		
R. Harrigan, Labor	3 00		
W. Goodhue, Jr., Labor	6 50		
B. Dolliver, Labor	25 00		
C. Dolliver, Labor	30 00		
L. Pierce, Labor	15 00		
T. Hanley, Labor	14 00		
L. Blenkhorn, Labor	4 00		
O. Shute, Labor	5 00		
W. Stevens, Labor	17 00		
H. Wetson, Labor	1 75		
		$4,772 87	
Other Expenses:			
E. R. Abbott, Team	$129 38		
Forwarded	$129 38	$4,772 87	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$129 38	$4,772 87	$78,411 15
Alex. Begg, Repairs	101 38		
J. A. Brumby, Repairs	1 25		
Robert Caverly, Truck	925 00		
A. C. Cummings, Storage	120 00		
A. M. Cummings, Repairs	1 55		
A. W. Day, Truck	41 25		
Dept. of Public Works, ½ Cost State Snow Removal	26 72		
W. F. Dodge, Truck	22 50		
Dyer Sales Machinery Co., Equipment	86 74		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Hdwe.	3 85		
Hamilton Wenham Garage, Supplies	41 90		
George Harrigan, Truck	925 00		
W. L. Hatch, Gas and Oil	101 47		
L. Lamson, Truck	60 75		
Hamblett & Hayes Co., Chloride	27 52		
Margaret F. Harrigan, Sand	45 50		
Finlay MacDonald, Lumber	8 48		
T. W. Maione, Truck	78 75		
F. Maione, Truck	28 50		
S. Malone, Sharpening Tools	10 75		
T. A. Moynihan, Truck	241 50		
F. C. Moynihan, Telephone	25 16		
M. H. Noonan Co., Sand	40 50		
Sumner Pingree, Trucks	1,100 00		
Sellman's Filling Station,			
Forwarded	$4,195 40	$4,772 87	$78,411 15

Brought forward	$4,195 40	$4,772 87	$78,411 15
Gas	16 75		
Alden Southwick, Truck	140 25		
L. D. Thompson, Truck	36 00		
R. A. Whipple, Truck	1,032 00		
Witch City Auto Body Co., Repairing Equipment	8 20		
Francis Whipple, Truck	156 00		
		5,584 60	
			10,357 47

STREET LIGHTING

Beverly Gas & Electric Co.	$8,171 42		8,171 42

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

PUBLIC WELFARE

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

W. B. Sellman	$39 60	
J. H. Perkins	25 00	
E. A. DeWitt	30 20	
A. C. Cummings	5 20	
G. G. Haraden, Clerk	50 00	
		$150 00

OUTSIDE RELIEF

Mrs. N. Aylward, Surgical Belt	$ 9 00		
Mrs. G. Adams, Rent	120 00		
Forwarded	$129 00	$150 00	$96,940 04

Brought forward	$129 00	$150 00	$96,940 04
Samuel M. Albert, Med. Service	24 00		
Allen Fuel Co., Oil	68 09		
R. S. Bauer & Co., Stationery	12 00		
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Light	12 00		
Beverly Hospital	557 29		
G. G. Haraden, Transportation C. C. Men	10 00		
Beverly Syndicate, Slippers	3 00		
W. J. Connors, Rent	40 00		
J. Clemeno, Shoes	2 50		
Mrs. Nettie Case, Rent	130 00		
Cable Memorial Hospital	40 00		
City of Beverly	2,733 27		
City of Salem	101 00		
F. L. Collins, Medical Service	12 00		
Conway's Pharmacy, Medicine	329 48		
J. G. Corcoran, Medical Service	700 50		
William Cullivan, Rent	193 50		
A. C. Cummings, Transportation	3 00		
A. M. Cummings, Transportation	4 00		
W. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	5 00		
Daley's Market, Groceries	468 00		
E. A. DeWitt, Expenses to Worcester	10 00		
H. A. Dougherty, Services	160 00		
Essex County Oil Co., Oil	77 04		
Forwarded	$5,824 67	$150 00	$96,940 04

Brought forward	$5,824 67	$150 00	$96,940 04
S. C. Gould, Groceries	1,090 62		
D. N. Griffin, Shoes	7 00		
Ellen Hadley, Nurse	5 00		
G. G. Haraden, Expenses to Worcester	10 00		
G. G. Haraden, Transportation	6 00		
Hamilton Diner, Meals	4 70		
Hamilton Oil Co., Oil	94 60		
Hamilton Visiting Nurse Assn.	39 00		
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	3 70		
H. P. Hood & Sons, Milk	38 78		
E. C. Johnson, Medical	5 00		
T. B. Knowlton, Medicines	2 40		
H. F. Larchez, Medical Services	845 00		
A. J. Lloyd Co., Glasses	9 00		
Mass. Assn. Relief Officers, Dues	8 00		
L. Lamson, Truck	10 00		
Mass. Dept. Public Welfare	139 00		
Mass. Hospital School	575 96		
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel	767 98		
T. A. Moynihan, Rent	180 00		
A. Peltier, Groceries	200 07		
W. R. Philbin, Dental Work	45 00		
Jennie Pitman, Board and Care	130 00		
Rubly Hill Farm, Milk	32 76		
Mary A. Rutherford, Board and Care	138 21		
Salem Hospital	29 00		
Forwarded	$10,241 45	$150 00	$96,940 04

Brought forward	$10,241 45	$150 00	$96,940 04
W. B. Sellman, Express charges	2 00		
E. C. Steeves, Rent	20 00		
Margaret Sargeant, Typing	3 50		
Town of Essex	495 10		
Town of Ipswich	315 05		
Town of Stoneham	277 33		
J. W. Twisden, Rent	136 00		
E. C. Walsh, Services	4 00		
E. H. West, Rent	30 00		
R. A. Whipple, Trucking	43 00		
Whiting Milk Co., Milk	91 10		
Visiting Nurse Association	23 00		
Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	2,355 50		
		$14,037 03	

MOTHERS' AID

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	$1,004 00	1,004 00	

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	$4,304 00	4,304 00	
			19,495 03

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

STATE AID

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	$360 00	$360 00	
Forwarded		$360 00	$116,435 07

Brought forward		$360 00	$116,435 07

Military Aid

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	$120 00	120 00	

Soldiers' Relief

Cash Aid to Sundry Persons	$1,183 00		
C. T. Ames, Medical Service	178 00		
Conway's Pharmacy, Medicines	3 10		
J. G. Corcoran, Medical Service	13 00		
H. E. Dodge, Rent	10 00		
S. C. Gould, Groceries	4 02		
Giles Shoe Co., Shoes	22 00		
H. F. Larchez, Medical Services	48 00		
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel	15 00		
Osgood & Goodwin	6 50		
Francis Patrone, Medical Services	10 00		
Union Hospital, Fall River	15 60		
		1,508 22	
			1,988 22

SCHOOLS

General Administration

J. D. Whittier, Supt.	$1,540 00		
Elizabeth A. Edmondson, Clerk	336 66		
Elizabeth A. Edmondson, Clerk of Board	75 00		
E. Frederick, Truant Officer	50 00		
Telephone	140 57		
Forwarded	$2,142 23		$118,423 29

Brought forward	$2,142 23		$118,423 29
J. D. Whittier, Traveling Expenses	33 64		
		2,175 87	

HEALTH

Florence L. Stobbart, Nurse	$776 68	
J. G. Corcoran, Physician	300 00	
		1,076 68

JANITOR SERVICE

R. Smerage, High School	$1,333 33	
James Perron, Jonathan Lamson School	1,300 00	
John Varnum, Walsh School	400 00	
L. Lamson, Asst. Janitor	25 00	
		3,058 33

TRANSPORTATION

W. W. Bancroft, High	$1,828 10	
W. W. Bancroft, Elementary	1,828 10	
		3,656 20

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Allyn & Bacon, High	$11 93		
American Book Co., High	58 82		
American Book Co., Elementary	8 53		
American Educational Press, Elementary	11 14		
Forwarded	$90 42	$9,967 08	$118,423 29

Brought forward	$90 42	$9,967 08	$118,423 29
American Type Founders Co., High	10 59		
Arlo Publishing Co., Elementary	13 51		
E. E. Babb & Co., Elementary	225 61		
E. E. Babb & Co., High	203 34		
C. C. Birchard & Co., High	6 75		
Beckley-Cardy Co., Elementary	1 40		
Milton Bradley Co., Elementary	41 08		
Milton Bradley Co., High	44 71		
J. W. Brine Co., High	18 04		
Bureau of Publications, Elementary	16 69		
Cornix Rubber Co., High	32 57		
Chemical Rubber Co., High	1 80		
N. Cimon, High	4 58		
Central Scientific Co., High	52 23		
Conway's Pharmacy, High	22 41		
Conway's Pharmacy, Elementary	1 80		
Duplicate Supply Co., High	83 49		
Depot Sq. Filling Station, High	72		
Educational Supply Co., High	4 39		
Educational Supply Co., Elementary	4 39		
Ginn & Co., High	180 10		
Ginn & Co., Elementary	23 50		
Zina Goodell Corpn., High	3 57		
Nellie C. Goodridge, High	2 20		
S. C. Gould, High	85 21		
S. C. Gould, Elementary	13 00		
Forwarded	$1,188 10	$9,967 08	$118,423 29

Brought forward	$1,188 10	$9,967 08	$118,423 29
Gregg Publishing Co., High	1 94		
Greenwood, Shepherdson Co., High	25 76		
Hamilton High School, Expense	1 08		
J. L. Hammett Co., High	122 03		
Harper & Bros., High	1 68		
D. C. Heath Co., High	14 26		
H. P. Hood & Sons, Domestic Science, High	13 80		
Houghton Mifflin Co., High	16 96		
International Engineering Works, High	23 40		
International Business Machine Corpn., High	10 00		
J. B. Lippincott Co., High	1 22		
Longman's Green Co., High	4 17		
Ida C. Lucas, High	5 00		
Keystone Glue Co., High	50		
Lyons & Carnahan, Elementary	9 70		
Macmillan Publishing Co., Elementary	9 97		
Macmillan Publishing Company, High	46 45		
McIntosh Publishing Co., High	3 64		
Alfred McRae, High	12 80		
McIntosh Publishing Co., High	3 64		
Mahoney Chair Co., High	5 40		
Morgan Dillon Co., High	3 67		
T. A. Moynihan, High	5 20		
Forwarded	$1,530 37	$9,967 08	$118,423 29

Brought forward	$1,530 37	$9,967 08	$118,423 29
National Geographic Society, High	3 00		
North Shore Gas Co., High	41 88		
North Shore Printing Co., High	18 29		
National Education Assn., High	1 39		
H. Partridge, High	7 38		
Rand McNally Co., Elementary	7 25		
J. F. Pope & Son, High	36 54		
School Service Co., High	1 72		
Scott Foreman & Co., High	7 06		
Silver Burdett & Co., High	10 28		
L. W. Singer Co., High	1 63		
Standard Scientific Supply Co., High	7 90		
B. H. Sanborn & Co., High	7 07		
Stanley Rule & Level Co., High	32		
University Publishing Co., High	5 38		
Webster Publishing Co., Elementary	12 31		
Willis Music Co., High	6 65		
John C. Winston & Co., High	7 93		
F. W. Woolworth Co., High	60		
World Book Co., High	1 13		
Wright & Davis, High	1 85		
Wright & Potter Printing Co., High	6 76		
Winer Bros., High	60		
Zaner, Blosser Co., High	74		
		1,726 03	
Forwarded		$11,693 11	$118,423 29

Brought forward		$11,693 11	$118,423 29

MAINTENANCE OF BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

F. J. Barnard & Co.,	$65 95		
Better Built Floors	42 00		
E. E. Babb & Co.	22 90		
L. C. Blenkhorn	7 50		
Burnham & Dodd	4 50		
Conway's Pharmacy	10 75		
John E. Cross	92 58		
A. C. Cummings	4 68		
F. L. Cushman	2 50		
J. F. Flynn	72 90		
John A. Foster	22 50		
S. C. Gould	13 00		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store	81 75		
Hamilton-Wenham Garage	1 41		
C. M. Jackman	54 50		
L. Lamson	20 00		
Finlay MacDonald	1 25		
S. Malone	1 75		
J. J. Melanson	50		
Mosler Safe Co.	7 66		
T. A. Moynihan	3 75		
J. H. Osgood	3 56		
E. A. Philinte	18 75		
Pitman & Brown Co.	5 42		
Reformatory for Women	10 09		
Benjamin Robertson	12 80		
R. Robertson Co.	13 35		
Forwarded	$598 30	$11,693 11	$118,423 29

Brought forward	$598 30	$11,693 11	$118,423 29
H. L. Sargeant	1 00		
F. R. Schaller	12 00		
Spencer Heater Co.	4 04		
R. A. Smerage	1 55		
R. S. Stone	1 35		
State Prison	27 47		
Sears Roebuck Co.	1 29		
F. P. Trussell	256 51		
Vestal Chemical Laboratories	49 31		
F. E. Vincent Co.	7 25		
R. A. Whipple	15 00		
Windsor Co.	10 39		
Ivan Scott	225 00		
		1,210 46	

Fuel and Light

Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Current	$ 585 00		
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel	1,943 82		
		2,528 82	

Furniture and Fixtures

H. M. Bixby Co.	$ 4 50		
Remington Rand, Inc.	4 00		
Royal Typewriter Co.	88 00		
Underwood Typewriter Co.	42 50		
W. E. Whitehead	70 00		
		209 00	
Forwarded		$15,641 39	$118,423 29

Brought forward		$15,641 39	$118,423 29

OTHER EXPENSES

Haines Corpn., Graduation Expense	$10 56		
Fannie C. Kendall, Graduation Expense	15 25		
Perkins Press, Graduation Expense	8 00		
W. G. Webber Co., Graduation Expense	3 00		
R. W. Payne, Postage and Carfare	24 73		
J. D. Whittier, Traveling Expenses	22 45		
J. D. Whittier, Postage	11 19		
		95 18	

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Nelly G. Cutting	$1,550 00		
Marion S. Batchelder	1,330 00		
Marjorie Underhill	1,013 14		
Marian C. Joseph	1,250 68		
Margaret K. Batchelder	1,235 00		
Ellen Duffy	1,235 00		
Thelma Bailey	754 32		
Anna Barron	775 60		
Edith M. Anderson	1,393 18		
Hazel Ramer	1,600 00		
Laura W. Boyd	1,662 50		
Forwarded	$13,799 42	$15,736 57	$118,423 29

Brought forward	$13,799 42	$15,736 57	$118,423 29
Frank J. Malone	1,425 00		
Beatrice Edmondson	313 32		
J. Dorothy Ward	1,393 18		
Wilhelmenia Ready	1,024 00		
Madeline Featherstone	950 00		
George W. Bowden	1,330 00		
Bryce B. Walton	1,234 00		
Roland W. Payne	2,500 00		
Maude L. Thomas	157 50		
Grace Jenkins	50 00		
Bessie F. McRae	955 00		
Katherine Duffy	2 00		
Grace Lamson	8 00		
Blanche Mason	40 00		
B. Edmondson	20 00		
Kath. Nickerson	12 00		
Robert Knowlton	4 00		
Beatrice Holmes	8 00		
Bernard Cullen	4 00		
Doris Foster	24 00		
Robert Robertson, 3d	4 00		
		25,257 42	
		$40,993 99	
Mass. Retirement Association		1,152 00	
Total School			42,145 99
Forwarded			$160,569 28

Brought forward			$160,569 28

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

School Special Athletic

W. W. Bancroft, Transportation	$ 23 00		
Athletic Equipment Company, Equipment	22 00		
Cornix Rubber Co., Equipment	143 15		
F. J. Malone, Transportation	15 00		
R. Robertson, Transportation	10 00		
J. W. Brine Co., Equipment	10 95		
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., Equipment	3 00		
Ivory System, Cleaning Uniforms	22 90		
		$250 00	

Domestic Science

Ditto, Inc., Equipment	$38 50		
Dow Lumber Co., Tables	75 00		
Seng Co., Equipment	24 00		
		137 50	

Vocational

City of Beverly, Tuition	$197 00	197 00	

Seeding Playground

Joseph Breck & Sons, Seed	$108 50		
Northeastern Supply Co., Fertilizer	112 00		
		220 50	
			805 00
Forwarded			$161,374 28

Brought forward			$161,374 28

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Salaries:			
Lydia L. Haraden, Librarian	$375 00		
Jennie S. Perley, Asst. Librarian	250 00		
		$625 00	
Other Expenses:			
W. B. Chase, Repairs	$ 6 75		
American Cooking Magazine	3 00		
Boys & Girls Newspaper, Magazine	3 50		
Bernard Cullen, Services	2 00		
G. H. Crawford Co., Rebinding Books	52 74		
Lydia L. Haraden, Extra Service	60 70		
Lydia L. Haraden, Expense to Teachers College	25 00		
Lydia L. Haraden, Books	4 00		
Carter's Publishing Company, Magazine	4 00		
Doubleday, Doran & Co., Books	56 25		
Americana Corpn., Books	6 00		
American Home Corporation, Magazine	4 00		
Crowell Publishing Company, Magazines	8 00		
Forwarded	$235 94	$625 00	$161,374 28

Brought forward	$235 94	$161,374 28
American Library Association, Magazines	3 85	
S. Apostolakis, Rent of Branch	330 00	
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Light	22 56	
W. J. Daley, P. M.	2 35	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., Stationery	9 15	
Robert Hiller, Cleaning	3 15	
R. S. Bauer Co., Stationery	1 85	
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	5 00	
Junior Literary Guild, Books	171 12	
H. B. McArdle, Stationery	28 45	
T. A. Moynihan, Fuel for Branch	13 90	
Library Book House, Books	413 05	
L. L. Haraden, Stamps	2 85	
McCall's Magazine, Magazine	4 00	
McGraw-Hill Book Co., Books	6 30	
Literary Digest, Magazine	8 00	
Popular Mechanics, Magazine	5 00	
National Geographic Society, Magazine	6 00	
N. E. News Co., Book	1 88	
Reader's Digest, Magazine	5 00	
Chas. Scribner's Sons, Books	37 50	
St. Nicholas, Magazine	6 00	
R. W. Wagner Co., Books	120 79	
Ward's, Stationers, Book Ends	22 80	
Forwarded	$1,466 49	$161,374 28

Brought forward	$1,466 49		$161,374 28
H. W. Wilson Co., Books	18 50		
Field & Stream, Magazine	2 50		
International Magazine Co., Magazine	2 00		
Theo. Presser Co., Books	4 00		
Redbook Magazine, Magazine	6 00		
A. O. Smith, Painting Branch Library	72 50		
R. E. Larson, Mgr., Magazine	5 00		
Munn & Co., Inc., Magazine	7 00		
J. S. Perley, Curtains	6 25		
J. S. Perley, Extra Services	25 00		
Good Housekeeping, Magazine	5 00		
F. P. Trussell, Repairs Branch	64 44		
McFadden Publishing Co., Magazine	4 00		
Dodd, Mead Co., Books	6 10		
Virginia Lyons, Books	36 46		
Jean Karr, Books	74 73		
Literary Guild of America, Books	21 00		
		1,826 97	
			2,451 97

RECREATION

Parks

George W. Morse, Labor	$83 50		
William Morse, Labor	20 00		
Forwarded	$103 50		$163,826 25

Brought forward	$103 50	$163,826 25
Winfield Hughes, Labor	4 50	
A. C. Cummings, Transportation	2 00	
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Supplies	2 50	
R. A. Whipple, Truck	15 00	
Daley's Market, Supplies	2 40	
F. B. Crowell, Painting Cannon	18 00	
J. J. Melansen, Sharpening Lawn Mower	2 00	
		149 90

UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day

Dorothy Greeley, Typing	$ 5 40	
Disabled Ex-Service Men's Exchange	17 58	
Annunciation Drum Corps	50 00	
Cape Ann Community Band	100 00	
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	30 00	
		202 98

Town Reports

M. N. Babcock, Delivering	$ 5 00	
E. Frederick, Delivering	5 00	
E. M. Haraden, Delivering	5 00	
H. Hughes, Delivering	3 50	
E. Sargeant, Delivering	5 00	
G. Sargeant, Delivering	6 50	
Forwarded	$30 00	$164,179 13

Brought forward	$30 00	$164,179 13
F. Tree, Jr., Delivering	4 00	
R. S. Bauer Co., Envelopes	15 50	
W. J. Daley, P. M.	18 00	
Lightning Dispatch, Expressage	2 75	
Newcomb & Gauss, Printing	516 34	
Margaret Sargeant, Typing	2 70	
		589 29

TOWN CLOCK

Lewis B. Norton, Care	$45 84	
Sydney Smith, Care	4 16	
		50 00

AMERICAN LEGION

Hamilton Hdw. Store, Rent	$240 00	
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Light	27 83	
		267 83

INSURANCE

Obrion, Russell & Co., Town Buildings	$1,323 96	1,323 96

BOILER INSURANCE

H. A. Daley	$71 38	71 38

ESTIMATED REVENUE

Com. of Mass., Nat. Bank Tax, 1934	$2 83	2 83
Forwarded		$166,484 42

Brought forward		$166,484 42

CEMETERY

R. H. Wilkinson, Supt.	$947 50	
Commissioners:		
Lawrence Foster, Salary	15 00	
L. B. Norton, Salary	15 00	
R. A. Whipple, Salary	15 00	
R. A. Whipple, Clerk	50 00	
		$1,042 50
Other Expenses:		
Geo. Morse, Labor	$1 00	
William Morse, Labor	1 00	
Alex. Begg, Repairs	10 49	
Charles E. Alden, Tools	1 95	
Beverly Gas & Electric Co., Current	7 00	
Burnham & Dodd, Repairs	13 20	
G. H. Barney, Plowing	40 00	
Conway's Pharmacy, First Aid Kit	5 60	
L. Lamson, Truck	21 00	
Charles Bruening	5 57	
R. H. Chittick, Fertilizer	63 91	
R. Cameron, Plants	9 45	
J. Dodge, Inspecting Car	50	
Wm. J. Daley, P. M., Stamps	10 00	
Daley's Mkt., Supplies	10 10	
O. A. Duquette, Sharpening Mowers	8 63	
Forwarded	$209 50	$166,484 42

Brought forward	$209 50		$166,484 42
Essex Co. Cooperative Assn., Seed and Fertilizer	40 16		
A. W. Day, Truck	31 50		
Greenlaw Electric Co., Electric Work	156 25		
Hamilton Gardens, Flowers	49 66		
Hamilton Hdwe. Store, Hdwe.	25 67		
Manning Sales Co., Rakes	2 50		
J. J. Melansen, Sharpening Mowers	12 80		
T. A. Moynihan, Cement	4 50		
J. F. Pope & Son, Lumber	73 83		
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registering Truck	2 00		
Sellman's Filling Station, Gas	9 44		
Silver's Supply Co., Supplies	16 04		
F. P. Trussell, Repairs	68 82		
Welch & Moynihan, Truck	10 50		
C. A. Whipple, Repairs to Truck	31 55		
F. H. Whipple, Truck	10 50		
Alden Southwick, Truck	31 50		
T. W. Maione, Truck	21 00		
L. Thompson, Truck	21 00		
		828 62	
			1,871 12
Forwarded			$168,355 54

Brought forward		$168,355 54

INTEREST

Merchants National Bank, Salem, Interest on Temporary Loan	$ 87 00	
Merchants National Bank, Salem, Interest on High School Bonds	1,610 00	
Merchants National Bank, Salem, Interest on High School Bonds	1,505 00	
Day Trust Co., Interest on Temporary Loan	116 40	
Day Trust Co., Interest on Tuberculosis Hospital Bonds	361 25	
Day Trust Co., Interest on East School Bonds	22 50	
		3,702 15

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

High School Loan	$6,000 00	
A. D. Walsh School Loan	1,000 00	
Tuberculosis Hospital Loan	1,000 00	
		8,000 00
Temporary Loan:		
Anticipating Revenue	$70,000 00	70,000 00
Forwarded		$250,057 69

Brought forward		$250,057 69

AGENCY AND TRUST (Agency)

County of Essex, Co. Tax	$7,767 67	
County of Essex, Dog Licenses	711 20	
F. L. Rauscher, Collecting Stray Dogs	70 00	
Com. of Mass., State Tax	8,100 00	
Com. of Mass., Auditing	297 02	
Com. of Mass., Penalty	1 00	
Com. of Mass., State Parks	64 92	
		17,011 81

AGENCY AND TRUST (Trust)

Salem Five Cents Savings Bank, Sale of Cemetery Lots	$120 00	
Beverly Savings Bank, Perpetual Care Cemetery Lots	100 00	
		220 00

REFUNDS

Motor Vehicle Excise Tax — Sundry Persons	179 42
Sundry Refund of Taxes	498 27
Total Disbursements 1935	$267,967 19
Balance Cash, December 31, 1935	1,354 49
	$269,321 68

TRANSFERS

(Reserve Fund)

1935			1935		
Nov. 18	Public Welfare	$2,000 00	Mar. 12	Appropriation	$6,928 00
	Election and Registration	24 00			
	State Aid	80 00			
Dec. 30	Town Hall	166 38			
	Fire Dept.	339 95			
	Public Welfare	1,995 03			
	School	195 99			
	Selectmen, Unemployment	2,126 65			
		$6,928 00			$6,928 00

TOWN OF HAMILTON

Balance Sheet, December 31, 1935

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS		
Cash:		
In Banks and Office		$1,354 49
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1935		34,902 71
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		
Levy of 1935		340 42
Tax Titles	$1,493 38	
Tax Title Possessions	101 12	
		1,594 50
Departmental:		
Dog Officer (due from County)	$70 00	
Highway	13 50	
State and County Aid to Highways, Chapter 90	2,408 35	
Health	111 80	
Public Welfare:		
Temporary Aid	567 43	
Mothers' Aid	379 99	
Old Age Assistance	450 01	
State Aid	460 00	
		4,461 08
Overlay Deficit 1934	$ 76 39	
Overlay Deficit 1935	2,193 74	
To be provided for by Assessors		2,270 13
		$44,923 33

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES		
Surplus War Bonus Fund		$965 37
Tailings		111 52
Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund		10 00
Special State Tax, Old Age Assistance		15 00
Appropriation Balances		9,559 08
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		5,569 83
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	$ 340 42	
Tax Title	1,594 50	
Departmental	1,982 73	
		3,917 65
Surplus Revenue		24,774 88
		$44,923 33

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$94,000 00	Essex County Hospital Loan	$ 8,000 00
		High School Building Loan	86,000 00
	$94,000 00		$94,000 00

TRUST ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:		Dr. Justin Allen Library Fund	$ 503 98
Cash and Securities	$17,750 79	H. Augusta Dodge Library Fund	1,023 43
		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	12,504 47
		Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund	3,384 13
		Maxwell Norman Fund	334 78
	$17,750 79		$17,750 79

RECAPITULATION OF DEPARTMENTAL EXPENSES

		Appropriation and Transfers	Expended	Unexpended Balance
Selectmen		$1,200 00	$1,199 53	$ 47
Selectmen (Unemployment Acct.)				
Bal. Jan. 1, 1935	$280 90			
Spec. Town Meeting, Jan. 8, 1935	7,500 00			
Town Meeting Mar. 12, 1935	15,000 00			
Refund Co., Moulton St. Bridge	500 00			
Transfer from Reserve	2,126 65	25,407 55	21,656 99	*3,750 56
Accounting		1,350 00	1,347 05	2 95
Treasury		1,000 00	997 18	2 82
Collector		1,250 00	1,234 66	15 34
Assessors		1,800 00	1,799 03	97
Other Finance Accounts		20 00	4 00	16 00
Law		300 00	300 00	
Town Clerk		650 00	646 23	3 77
Election and Registration	500 00			
Transfer from Reserve	24 00	524 00	523 56	44
Town Hall	2,300 00			
Transfer from Reserve	166 38	2,466 38	2,466 38	
Water Committee		300 00	298 68	1 32
Water Supply Tank, B. & M. R.R.:				
Bal. Jan. 1, 1935	$950 39			
Approp. Jan. 8, 1935	583 87	1,534 26	1,534 26	

		Appropriation and Transfers	Expended	Unexpended Balance
State Census		150 00	121 20	28 80
Police 1935		1,800 00	1,795 73	4 27
Fire Department:				
Appropriation	$2,800 00			
Transfer from Reserve	339 95	3,139 95	3,139 95	
Fire Special, New Truck		2,000 00	2,000 00	
Moth (Town)		1,900 00	1,899 17	83
Moth (Private Property)		1,200 00	1,074 07	125 93
Tree Warden		900 00	899 79	21
Forest Fire Warden		200 00	146 76	53 24
Game Warden		15 00	10 00	5 00
Sealer		300 00	299 34	66
Health		4,500 00	2,530 56	1,969 44
Maintenance Essex Sanitarium		1,281 96	1,281 96	
Inspector of Animals		75 00	63 00	12 00
Highway		13,000 00	12,997 63	2 37
Highland Street:				
Appropriation	$5,000 00			
From State	6,602 05			
From County	3,739 60	15,341 65	13,345 53	*1,996 12
Appleton Avenue		1,800 00	1,799 31	69
Railroad Avenue Sidewalk		1,000 00	999 60	40
Snow		10,700 00	10,357 47	342 53
Street Lighting		8,400 00	8,171 42	228 58
Public Welfare:				
Town Meeting—Mar. 12, 1935	15,500 00			
Transfer from Reserve	3,995 03	19,495 03	19,495 03	
Soldiers' Relief		2,000 00	1,508 22	491 78

		Appropriation and Transfers	Expended	Unexpended Balance
State Aid:				
Town Meeting—				
Mar. 12, 1935	400 00			
Transfer from Reserve	80 00	480 00	480 00	
School:				
Town Meeting—				
Mar. 12, 1935	41,385 58			
Dog Licenses	564 42			
Transfer from Reserve	195 99	42,145 99	42,145 99	
School—Vocational		200 00	197 00	3 00
School—Seeding Playground		250 00	220 50	29 50
School—Athletics		250 00	250 00	
School—Domestic Science		250 00	137 50	112 50
Public Library:				
Town Meeting—				
Mar. 12, 1935	2,400 00			
Income Trust Funds	51 97	2,451 97	2,451 97	
Parks		150 00	149 90	10
Memorial Day		300 00	202 98	97 02
Town Reports		600 00	589 29	10 71
Town Clock		50 00	50 00	
American Legion		300 00	267 83	32 17
Reserve Fund (From Overlay)		6,928 00	6,928 00	
Boiler Insurance		75 00	71 38	3 62
Insurance Fund		1,600 00	1,323 96	276 04
Cemetery:				
Town Meeting—				
Mar. 12, 1935	1,450 00			
Income Trust Funds	437 00	1,887 00	1,871 12	15 88

	Appropriation and Transfers	Expended	Unexpended Blance
Interest	4,000 00	3,702 15	297 85
Maturing Debt	8,000 00	8,000 00	

The following balances have been set up to be used in 1936:

* Selectmen Unemployment	$3,750 56
* Highland Street	1,996 12

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

December 31, 1935

Name	Endowment	Balance Jan. 1, 1935	Receipts 1935	Payments 1935	Balance Dec. 31, 1935
Abbott, Marshall K.	$200 00	$287 50	$10 13	$20 00	$277 63
Allen, Albert F.	100 00	108 71	3 82	4 00	108 53
Allen, J. A.	300 00	505 31	17 84	15 00	508 15
Allen, Dr. Justin	100 00	108 71	3 82	4 00	108 53
Andrews, Horace E.	100 00	116 38	4 09	4 00	116 47
Austin, Delia	100 00	105 72	3 74	3 00	106 46
Ayers, Fred H.	100 00	109 21	3 86	4 00	109 07
Ayers, Samuel	150 00	185 53	6 53	10 00	182 06
Bean, Ellen A.	100 00	122 92	4 33	5 00	122 25
Bradstreet, John	200 00	239 15	8 47	10 00	237 62
Brewer, Alice	100 00	108 89	3 83	3 00	109 72
Brown, Elizabeth S.	100 00	112 53	3 96	4 00	112 49
Burnham, Amos	100 00	111 34	3 92	5 00	110 26
Burnham, Choate	175 00	186 52	6 57	8 00	185 09
Burton, F. J. & P. W.	100 00	108 60	3 81	3 00	109 41
Butler, N. B.	100 00	108 88	3 81	4 00	108 69
Chadwick, Alden	100 00	111 12	3 94	4 00	111 06
Chandler, William	100 00	109 37	3 86	4 00	109 23
Colwell, Ernest	100 00	108 93	3 83	3 00	109 76
Crowell, Frank B.	50 00	50 00	1 13	....	51 13
Crowley, Bertha	100 00	105 94	3 74	....	109 68
Cutler, Temple	75 00	82 83	2 90	3 00	82 73
Cutler, Temple	75 00	84 25	2 96	4 00	83 21
Dane, Francis	1,000 00	1,148 80	40 53	25 00	1,164 33
Dane, Luther	100 00	116 06	4 10	5 00	115 16
Dane, Ephraim A.	100 00	108 56	3 81	4 00	108 37
Dane, Joseph F.	100 00	108 18	3 81	3 00	108 99

Name	Endowment	Jan. 1, 1935 Balance	1935 Receipts	1935 Payments	Dec. 31, 1935 Balance
Davenport, Jabez K.	100 00	108 27	3 82	3 00	109 09
Dodge, H. Augusta	200 00	328 40	11 59	20 00	319 99
Dodge. Edward W.	100 00	110 14	3 88	4 00	.....
Dodge, James E.	100 00	113 67	3 99	6 00	111 66
Dodge, Joseph T.	150 00	150 00	4 53	....	154 53
Dodge, Joseph W.	100 00	108 08	3 80	....	111 88
Dufton, Joseph W.	100 00	110 54	3 88	5 00	109 42
Ellis, Emily	100 00	110 14	3 90	5 00	109 04
Elwell, John E.	100 00	113 92	4 02	5 00	112 94
Fillebroun, Howard R.	50 00	54 46	1 90	....	56 36
Gamboa, Joseph	100 00	106 27	3 77	3 00	107 04
Gleason, William H.	100 00	109 65	3 85	4 00	109 50
Goodhue, Samuel G.	100 00	108 27	3 81	3 00	109 08
Graham, Charlie E.	50 00	54 46	1 90	3 00	53 36
Hayes, Olivia E.	100 00	109 81	3 86	4 00	109 67
Haynes, George T.	100 00	110 55	3 89	4 00	110 44
Henry, Mary R.	75 00	83 01	2 92	4 00	81 93
Hobbs, Franklin	100 00	107 65	3 80	3 00	108 45
Horne, Thomas	100 00	115 93	4 06	6 00	113 99
Kimball, Susan A.	150 00	163 50	5 75	10 00	159 25
Kinsman, Jacob	100 00	114 51	4 03	6 00	112 54
Knowlton, Clarence S.	100 00	105 64	3 74	....	109 38
Knowlton, George K.	100 00	116 69	4 09	6 00	114 78
Knowlton, Issac F.	200 00	264 73	9 33	15 00	259 06
Knowlton, John H.	100 00	109 71	3 86	3 00	110 57
Knowlton, Joseph	100 00	109 18	3 86	3 00	110 04
Lovering, J. P.	100 00	116 45	4 09	8 00	112 54
Lovering, Myrtle B.	100 00	107 45	3 80	....	111 25
MacDonald, Alexander	100 00	105 04	3 71	....	108 75
MacDonald, Robert	100 00	109 13	3 86	4 00	108 99
Mason, Arthur	100 00	118 63	4 16	5 00	117 79
McNeil, Hattie S.	100 00	112 93	3 95	5 00	111 88

Name	Endowment	Jan. 1, 1935 Balance	1935 Receipts	1935 Payments	Dec. 31, 1935 Balance
Nason, Daniel A.	100 00	106 66	3 77	3 00	107 43
Neal, George A.	50 00	55 06	1 94	3 00	54 00
Neal, Nirum	50 00	52 50	1 84	....	54 34
Norton, Francis C.	150 00	157 12	5 55	5 00	157 67
Patch, Emeline	100 00	108 77	3 81	3 00	109 58
Patch, Laura S.	100 00	109 92	3 85	5 00	108 77
Peterson, Charles A.	100 00	109 98	3 85	5 00	108 83
Porter, Benjamin	100 00	109 57	3 86	4 00	109 43
Preston, Thomas	100 00	109 44	3 85	4 00	109 29
Proctor, James H.	300 00	457 08	16 20	25 00	448 28
Roberts, Daniel	100 00	113 06	3 99	5 00	112 05
Roberts, George E.	100 00	108 78	3 83	3 00	109 61
Rogers, Jr., Charles	100 00	100 58	3 03	....	103 61
Rowe, Mary	100 00	106 66	3 77	3 00	107 43
Safford, Daniel E.	100 00	110 24	3 89	4 00	110 13
Smerage, Charles A.	100 00	106 66	3 77	....	110 43
Southwick, Mary A.	100 00	100 00	25	....	100 25
Stone, Daniel D.	100 00	109 08	3 84	3 00	109 92
Thayer, Samuel E.	100 00	109 29	3 86	4 00	109 15
Thompson, Mary E.	150 00	161 73	5 73	5 00	162 46
Townsend, William E.	100 00	110 44	3 89	3 00	111 33
Trefry, Henry G.	100 00	107 87	3 80	3 00	108 67
Trussell, Frank P.	150 00	172 16	6 09	5 00	173 25
Tuttle, John	100 00	110 64	3 88	4 00	110 52
Whipple, Albert M.	100 00	108 13	3 81	3 00	108 94
Whipple, Emerson A.	100 00	108 77	3 83	3 00	109 60
Whipple, Hannah M.	100 00	108 84	3 82	4 00	108 66
Whipple, L. D.	100 00	112 90	3 96	4 00	112 86
Whittredge, John	100 00	109 26	3 86	4 00	109 12
Wilson, James	100 00	110 56	3 90	4 00	110 46
Woodbury, John L.	100 00	108 16	3 83	4 00	107 99
Woodbury, John T.	100 00	109 26	3 86	4 00	109 12
	$10,850 00	$12,505 92	$435 55	$437 00	$12,504 47

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Savings Bank Deposits at beginning of year	$12,405 92
Savings Bank Deposits at end of year	12,504 47

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Deposits for Endowment	$100 00	Care of Lots	$437 00
Income	435 55	Added to Savings Deposits	98 55
	$535 55		$535 55

INVESTMENT FUNDS

SPECIAL CEMETERY FUNDS

	Cash in Gen. Treas.	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935	$10 00	$3,153 05	$3,163 05
On hand at end of year 1935		3,384 13	3,384 13

Receipts		Payments	
Sale of lots	$120 00	Added to savings deposits	$231 08
Income	111 08		
	$231 08		$231 08

MAXWELL NORMAN FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935	$324 99	$324 99
On hand at end of year 1935	334 78	334 78

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$9 79	Added to savings deposits	$9 79
	$9 79		$9 79

PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

DR. JUSTIN ALLEN FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935	$525 37	$525 37
On hand at end of year 1935	503 98	503 98

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$18 61	Transferred to Town	$40 00
Withdrawn from savings deposits	21 39		
	$40 00		$40 00

H. AUGUSTA DODGE FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935	$1,000 10	$1,000 10
On hand at end of year 1935		1,023 43

Receipts		Payments	
Income	$35 30	Transferred to Town	$11 97
		Added to savings deposits	23 33
	$35 30		$35 30

CONCLUSION

The past year has been a trying one for all Town Officials.

The work in every department has shown a constant increase.

There have been a great many changes in the General Laws adding extra duties to all departments.

I wish at this time to thank the members of all departments for the splendid co-operation and assistance rendered me during the past year.

For further information regarding the Accountant's Report you are referred to the report of the State Audit which follows.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN,
Town Accountant.

TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

Greetings:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 35, of the General Laws, I submit herewith the annual report of the Treasury Department for the year ending December 31, 1935.

TREASURER'S CASH

Balance January 1, 1935	$ 2,135 66	
Receipts	267,245 95	
		$269,381 61
Payments	$268,027 12	
Balance December 31, 1935:		
Merchants National Bank, Salem	788 93	
Naumkeag Trust Co., Salem	560 56	
Cash on hand	5 00	
		269,381 61

Merchants National Bank, Salem

Balance December 31, 1935, per statement		$1,099 47
Balance December 31, 1935, per check book	$788 93	
Outstanding checks December 31, 1935	310 54	
		$1,099 47

NAUMKEAG TRUST CO., SALEM

Balance December 31, 1935, per statement		$5,139 98
Balance December 31, 1935, per check book	$ 560 56	
Outstanding checks December 31, 1935	4,579 42	
		5,139 98

I wish to express my appreciation to the Boards and various officials of the Town for the co-operation they have extended to this department during the past year.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE E. SMITH,
Town Treasurer.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS
AND TAXATION

DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS

REPORT OF AN AUDIT

OF

THE ACCOUNTS

OF THE

TOWN OF HAMILTON

FOR

The Fiscal Year Ending DECEMBER 31, 1935

Made in Accordance with the Provisions of
Chapter 44, General Laws

January 30, 1936

REPORT OF AN AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION

DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON

January 30, 1936

To the Board of Selectmen

Mr. Edward A. DeWitt, Chairman

Hamilton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Hamilton for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1935, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL

Director of Accounts

TNW: MC

REPORT OF EXAMINER

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Hamilton for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1935, and report thereon as follows:

The financial transactions of the town as entered on the books of the several departments were examined and checked.

The books and accounts of the town accountant were examined and checked. The receipts as recorded were compared with the treasurer's cash book record of collections, the recorded disbursements being checked with the treasury warrants and with the treasurer's record of payments.

An analysis of the ledger accounts was made, a comparison of the appropriations recorded therein being made with the town clerk's record of town meeting votes and with the assessors' record of the amounts raised, showing them to be in agreement. The assessors' warrants authorizing the collection of taxes were compared with the ledger record of commitments of taxes and assessments.

A trial balance was drawn off proving the ledger to be in balance, and a balance sheet, showing the financial condition of the town on December 31, 1935, was prepared and is appended to this report.

The town treasurer's books and accounts were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the records of the several departments wherein money was collected and paid into the town treasury and with the accountant's books. The disbursements, as shown on the cash book, were

checked with the selectmen's warrants authorizing them and with the accountant's records.

The cash balance on January 10, 1936, was verified by a reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished by the banks in which town funds are deposited.

The payments of debt and interest were proved with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities and coupons on file.

An examination was made of the savings bank books representing the investments of the several trust funds in the custody of the town treasurer, the income and expenditures being checked and found to be as recorded.

Tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash and summaries of the transactions and condition of the several trust accounts are appended to this report.

The books and accounts of the collector of taxes were examined and checked in detail. The taxes and assessments outstanding at the time of the previous examination were audited and all subsequent commitments of taxes and assessments were proved to the warrants issued for their collection. The receipts as posted to the commitment lists were checked with the cash book record of collections, the cash book additions and the payments to the town treasurer being verified. The abatements as recorded were checked with the assessors' record of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved with the accountant's records.

The outstanding accounts were further verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

Summaries of the tax and assessment accounts are shown in tables appended to this report.

The town clerk's records of receipts on account of dog and sporting licenses were examined and checked, the payments to the town and to the Division of Fisheries and Game being verified.

The selectmen's record of receipts on account of licenses and permits granted was examined and checked. The payments to the treasurer were compared with the treasurer's and the accountant's books and the cash on hand was verified by actual count.

The records of the sealer of weights and measures were examined, the field book charges being checked with the cash book record of receipts. The footings of the cash book and the payments to the treasurer were verified.

The financial records of the public welfare department were also examined and checked. The charges on account of aid rendered for other cities and towns and for the State were listed, the payments to the treasurer were checked and the outstanding accounts were listed and verified.

In addition to the departments and accounts mentioned, the records of all other departments collecting money for the town were examined and checked.

The surety bonds furnished by the several officials for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

For the co-operation rendered by the several officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE
Assistant Director of Accounts

HBD: MC

RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH

Balance January 1, 1935,		$ 2,135 66	
Receipts 1935,		267,248 70	
			$269,384 36
Payments 1935,		$268,029 87	
Balance December 31, 1935,		1,354 49	
			$269,384 36
Balance January 1, 1936,		$ 1,354 49	
Receipts January 1 to 10, 1936,		46,675 14	
			$48,029 63
Payments January 1 to 10, 1936,		$1,282 35	
Balance January 10, 1936:			
Merchants National Bank of Salem,	$39,506 58		
Naumkeag Trust Company of Salem,	7,240 70		
		46,747 28	
			$48,029 63

Merchants National Bank of Salem

Balance January 10, 1936, per statement,		$40,276 50
Balance January 10, 1936, per check book,	$39,506 58	
Outstanding checks January 10, 1936, per list,	769 92	
		$40,276 50

Naumkeag Trust Company of Salem

Balance January 10, 1936, per statement,	$6,527 86	
Deposit in transit, verified, credited January 11, 1936,	1,230 55	
		$7,758 41
Balance January 10, 1936, per check book,	$7,240 70	
Outstanding checks January 10, 1936, per list,	517 71	
		$7,758 41

Poll Taxes—1934

Outstanding January 1, 1935,		$16 00
Payments to treasurer, 1935,	$14 00	
Abatements, 1935,	2 00	
		$16 00

Property Taxes—1934

Outstanding January 1, 1935,	$28,393 41	
Abatement after payment, refunded,	23 80	
Moth assessments 1934 reported as taxes 1934,	09	
		$28,417 30
Payments to treasurer, 1935,	$26,991 87	
Abatements 1935,	563 47	
Added to tax titles,	861 86	
Taxes 1934 reported as interest,	10	
		$28,417 30

Poll Taxes—1935

Commitment per warrant,	$1,378 00	
Additional commitment reported as taxes 1935,	2 00	
		$1,380 00
Payments to treasurer,	$1,326 00	
Abatements,	50 00	
Warrant in excess of commitment list,	2 00	
Outstanding December 31, 1935,	2 00	
		$1,380 00
Outstanding January 1, 1936,		$2 00
Payments to treasurer January 1 to 10, 1936,		$2 00

Property Taxes—1935

Commitment per warrant,	$163,751 73	
Additional commitments,	945 80	
Abatements after payments and overpayments, refunded,	463 32	
Refund of taxes 1935 charged to motor vehicle excise taxes 1935,	8 58	
Error in entering abatements,	8 58	
		$165,178 01
Payments to treasurer,	$125,333 22	
Abatements,	3,514 94	
Added to tax titles,	1,427 14	
Commitment of poll taxes 1935 reported as taxes 1935,	2 00	
Outstanding December 31, 1935,	34,900 71	
		$165,178 01

Outstanding January 1, 1936,		$34,900 71
Payments to treasurer January 1 to January 10, 1936,	$ 6,175 49	
Abatements January 1 to 10, 1936,	660 66	
Outstanding January 10, 1936, per list,	28,039 56	
Cash on hand January 10, 1936, verified	25 00	
		$34,900 71

Moth Assessments—1934

Outstanding January 1, 1935,		$142 51
Payments to treasurer,	$140 69	
Abatements,	1 73	
Moth assessments 1934 reported as taxes 1934	09	
		$142 51

Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes—1933

Outstanding January 1, 1935,		$13 83
Payments to treasurer, 1935,	$4 52	
Abatements, 1935,	9 31	
		$13 83

Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes—1934

Outstanding January 1, 1935,	$733 46	
Abatements and payments refunded,	26 24	
Duplicate abatement,	5 81	
Excess abatements,	1 20	
Interest credited to motor vehicle excise taxes 1934,	36	
		$767 07

Payments to treasurer, 1935,	$660 56	
Abatements, 1935,	106 51	
		$767 07

Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes—1935

Commitment per warrant,	$5,797 16	
Abatements and payments refunded,	149 43	
		$5,946 59
Payments to treasurer,	$5,285 59	
Abatements,	312 00	
Refund of taxes 1935 charged to motor vehicle excise taxes 1935,	8 58	
Outstanding December 31, 1935,	340 42	
		$5,946 59

Outstanding January 1, 1936,	$340 42	
Additional commitment,	8 00	
Abatements and payments to be refunded,	4 61	
Overpayment to be adjusted,	50	
		$353 53
Payments to treasurer January 1 to 10, 1936,	$ 32 50	
Abatements January 1 to 10, 1936,	6 08	
Outstanding January 10, 1936, per list,	289 08	
Cash on hand January 10, 1936, verified,	25 87	
		$353 53

Tax Titles

On hand January 1, 1935,	$1,312 98
Added to tax titles 1935:	

Taxes 1934,	$ 861 86		
Taxes 1935,	1,427 14		
Interest and costs,	144 39		
		2,433 39	
Interest credited to tax titles,		13 61	
			$3,759 98
Tax titles redeemed,		$2,086 19	
Tax title redemptions credited to estimated receipts,		79 29	
Tax title possessions,		101 12	
On hand December 31, 1935,		1,493 38	
			$3,759 98

On hand January 1, 1936,		$1,493 38
Tax titles redeemed January 1 to 10, 1936,	$ 97 24	
On hand January 10, 1936, per list,	1,396 14	
		$1,493 38

Selectmen's Licenses, Permits, Etc.

Outstanding January 1, 1935,		$605 00	
Licenses granted in 1935:			
Auto agents',	$12 00		
Alcohol,	7 00		
Dance,	2 00		
Junk,	30 00		
Peddlers',	10 00		
Revolver,	22 00		
Victuallers',	22 00		
Wines and malt beverages,	245 33		
		350 33	
Sale of old pumps,		20 00	
			$975 33

Payments to treasurer,		$970 33	
Outstanding December 31, 1935,		5 00	
			$975 33
Outstanding January 1, 1936,		$ 5 00	
Licenses granted January 1 to 18, 1936:			
Auto agents',	$ 5 00		
Revolver,	1 00		
Victuallers',	16 00		
Wines and malt beverages,	800 00		
		822 00	
			$827 00
Cash on hand January 18, 1936, verified,			$827 00

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Dog Licenses

Licenses issued 1935:			
Males, 167 @ $2.00,	$334 00		
Spayed females, 25 @ $2.00,	50 00		
Females, 43 @ $5.00,	215 00		
Breeders', 2 @ $25.00,	50 00		
Breeders', 2 @ $50.00,	100 00		
			$749 00
Payments to treasurer, 1935,		$701 20	
Fees retained by town clerk 1935, 239 @ 20c		47 80	
			$749 00

Hunting and Fishing Licenses

Licenses issued 1935:			
Resident citizens' fishing, 25 @ $2.00,	$50 00		
Resident citizens' hunting, 45 @ $2.00,	90 00		
Resident citizens' sporting, 12 @ $3.25,	39 00		
Resident citizens' trapping, 3 @ $5.25,	15 75		
Women's and minors' fishing, 5 @ $1.25,	6 25		
Minors' trapping, 2 @ $2.25,	4 50		
			$205 50
Payments to Division of Fisheries and Game, 1935,		$182 50	
Fees retained by town clerk, 1935,		23 00	
			$205 50

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Receipts, 1935,		$31 17
Payments to treasurer, 1935,	$30 67	
Overpayment to treasurer, 1934, adjusted,	50	
		$31 17

Milk Inspector

Permits issued 1935, 19 @ $.50,	$9 50	
Overpayment to treasurer,	50	
		$10 00
Payments to treasurer, 1935,		$10 00

Health Department

Accounts Receivable

Outstanding January 1, 1935,	$474 92	
Charges,	71 00	
		$545 92
Payments to treasurer,	$ 71 00	
Abatements,	363 12	
Outstanding December 31, 1935, and January 10, 1936, per list,	111 80	
		$545 92

Highway Department

Accounts Receivable

Charges 1935,		$19 75
Payments to treasurer,	$ 6 25	

Outstanding December 31, 1935,	13 50	
		$19 75
Outstanding January 1, 1936,		$13 50
Payments to treasurer January 1 to 10, 1936,		$13 50

Public Welfare Department

Temporary Aid

Outstanding January 1, 1935,	$2,993 80	
Charges,	2,084 04	
		$5,077 84
Payments to treasurer,	$3,820 11	
Abatements and disallowances,	690 30	
Outstanding December 31, 1935, and January 10, 1936, per list,	567 43	
		$5,077 84

Mothers' Aid

Outstanding January 1, 1935,	$445 67	
Charges,	379 99	
		$825 66
Payments to treasurer,	$445 67	
Outstanding December 31, 1935, and January 10, 1936, per list,	379 99	
		$825 66

Old Age Assistance

Outstanding January 1, 1935,	$ 119 34	
Charges,	2,151 27	
		$2,270 61
Payments to treasurer,	$1,618 41	
Abatements and disallowances,	202 19	
Outstanding December 31, 1935, and January 10, 1936, per list,	450 01	
		$2,270 61

School Department

Receipts:		
Tuition,	$267 75	
Sale of supplies,	16 14	
		$283 89
Payments to treasurer, 1935,		$283 89

Library Department

Receipts 1935,		$8 00
Payments to treasurer,	$4 05	
Cash balance, December 31, 1935,	3 95	
		$8 00
Cash balance, January 1, 1936,		$3 95
Payments to treasurer January 1 to 10, 1936,		$3 95

Cemetery Department

Outstanding January 1, 1935,		$125 00	
Charges:			
Sale of lots and graves,	$120 00		
Care of lots and graves,	362 50		
Interments,	158 00		
Foundations,	25 75		
Grading,	20 00		
		686 25	
Perpetual care bequests,		100 00	
Perpetual care income withdrawn,		437 00	
			$1,348 25
Payments to treasurer:			
By cemetery department,		$617 75	
Direct,		437 00	
Abatements,		60 00	
Outstanding December 31, 1935, and January 10, 1936, per list,		233 50	
			$1,348 25

Dr. Justin Allen Library Fund

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935	$525 37	$525 37
On hand at end of year 1935	503 98	503 98

Receipts		1935 Payments	
Withdrawn from savings deposits	$21 39	Transferred to Town	$40 00
Income	18 61		
	$40 00		$40 00

H. Augusta Dodge Library Fund

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935	$1,000 10	$1,000 10
On hand at end of year 1935	1,023 43	1,023 43

Receipts		Payments	
		1935	
Income	$35 30	Added to savings deposits	$23 33
		Transferred to Town	11 97
	$35 30		$35 30

Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935,	$12,405 92	$12,405 92
On hand at end of year 1935,	12,504 47	12,504 47

Receipts		Payments	
		1935	
Bequests,	$100 00	Added to savings deposits	$ 98 55
Income,	435 55	Transferred to town for care of lots,	437 00
	$535 55		$535 55

Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund

	Cash in Gen. Treas.	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935	$10 00	$3,153 05	$3,163 05
On hand at end of year 1935	10 00	3,384 13	3,394 13

Receipts		Payments	
		1935	
Income	$111 08	Added to savings deposits	$231 08
Sale of lots	120 00		
Cash on hand at beginning of year	10 00	Cash on hand at end of of year	10 00
	$241 08		$241 08

Maxwell Norman Fund

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand at beginning of year 1935	$324 99	$324 99
On hand at end of year 1935	334 78	334 78

Receipts		Payments	
		1935	
Income	$9 79	Added to savings deposits	$9 79

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Balance Sheet—December 31, 1935

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets

Cash:		
In Banks and Office,		$1,354 49
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1935,		34,902 71
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		
Levy of 1935,		340 42
Tax Titles,	$1,493 38	
Tax Title Possessions,	101 12	
		1,594 50
Departmental:		
Health,	$111 80	
Highway,	13 50	
Old Age Assistance,	450 01	
Public Welfare:		
Temporary aid,	567 43	
Mothers' aid,	379 99	
State Aid,	460 00	
		1,982 73
State and County Aid to Highways,		2,408 35
Overdrawn Accounts:		
Overlay 1934,	$ 76 39	
Overlay 1935,	2,193 74	
Dog Officer,	70 00	
		2,340 13
		$44,923 33

Liabilities and Reserves

Tailings,		$111 52
Surplus War Bonus Fund,		965 37
Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund,		10 00
Special State Tax—Old Age Assistance,		15 00
Unexpended Balances:		
Unemployment,	$3,750 56	
Chapter 90—Highland Street,	4,404 47	
Sidewalks—Chapter 464, Acts of 1935,	1,404 05	
		9,559 08
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus,		5,569 83
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor vehicle excise tax,	$ 340 42	
Tax title,	1,594 50	
Departmental,	1,982 73	
		3,917 65
Surplus Revenue,		24,774 88
		$44,923 33

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Assets

Net Funded or Fixed Debt,	$94,000 00
	$94,000 00

Liabilities and Reserves

Essex County Hospital Loan,	$ 8,000 00
High School Building Loan,	86,000 00
	$94,000 00

TRUST ACCOUNTS

Assets

Trust and Investment Funds:	
Cash and Securities,	$17,750 79
	$17,750 79

Liabilities and Reserves

Dr. Justin Allen Library Fund,	$ 503 98
H. Augusta Dodge Library Fund,	1,023 43
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds,	12,504 47
Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund,	3,384 13
Maxwell Norman Fund,	334 78
	$17,750 79

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

Greetings:

The following is a record of the business of the Town Clerk's office for the year 1935.

REPORT OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON HELD JANUARY 8, 1935

After declaring a quorum present the meeting was called to order at eight o'clock (8) p. m. by the Moderator, Oliver Wolcott.

The Moderator led the meeting in the Lord's Prayer.

Article 1.

"To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6000.00 to be expended for work to be done on the highways, the cemetery, the parks or for fire protection and for materials and implements, to provide work for the needy unemployed of the town, or take any action thereon."

After declaring there must have been an error on the article as read by Mr. Wolcott, it was moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the Town appropriate and raise the sum of $7500.00 to be expended on the highways, cemetery, parks, for fire protection and for material and implements, for the purpose of providing work for the needy unemployed, work to be done under the direction of the Selectmen, who shall have authority to apportion, supervise and expend said $7500.00, and further

that the present unemployment committee be requested to cooperate with the Selectmen in determining to whom work shall be given.

Moved by Mr. James Chisholm and seconded: That the foregoing motion be amended to read that the unemployment committee be directed by the Town to increase the number of days for those in need from two days to three days per week.

Voice vote on amendment.

Amendment lost.

Voice vote on motion.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 2.

"To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $583.87, being the balance due in payment of the installation of the water system at South Hamilton or take any action thereon."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the Town appropriate and raise the sum of $583.87 to be expended in paying the balance due the Boston and Maine Railroad in payment of the installation of the water system at South Hamilton.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 3.

"To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 to pay for the census to be taken of the inhabitants of the town in compliance with the requirements of Section 7, Chapter 9 of the General Laws, Tercentenary edition, and amendments thereto or take any action thereon."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the Town appropriate and raise the sum of $150.00 to pay for the census to be taken of the inhabitants of the Town in compliance with

the requirements of Section 7, Chapter 9 of the General Laws, Tercentenary edition, and amendments thereto.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 4.

"To act on any other matter that may legally come before said meeting."

Moved by Mr. George v. L. Meyer that the meeting adjourn. Seconded:

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

Mr. Wolcott declared the meeting adjourned at 8.25 p. m.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN MEETING AND ELECTION OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON HELD MARCH 12, 1935

Moderator—OLIVER WOLCOTT

Tellers

Frank P. Back	Frank B. Crowell
Florence E. Burke	Edward J. Ready
Annie S. Cunningham	Walter I. Fowler
William J. Cunningham	Lester F. Stanley

The Polls were opened at Five forty-five (5.45) o'clock, A. M., and were closed at One (1) o'clock P. M., March 12, 1935.

ARTICLE 1.

"To bring in your ballots for:

Moderator for one year.

Town Clerk for one year.
Three Selectmen for one year.
Three Overseers of Public Welfare for one year.
Treasurer for one year.
Tax Collector for one year.
One Surveyor of Highways for one year.
Tree Warden for one year.
Three Constables for one year.
One Assessor for three years.
One Member of the School Committee for three years.
One Library Trustee for three years.
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years.
One Park Commissioner for three years.
One Park Commissioner for two years.
One Water Commissioner for three years.
One Water Commissioner for two years.
One Water Commissioner for one year.
All on one ballot.
There were 919 votes cast under this article as follows:

By men	502
By women	417
Total	919

Moderator—For one year

Oliver Wolcott	721
Blanks	198

Town Clerk—For one year.

George Gibney Haraden	708
Blanks	211

Selectmen, Overseers of Public Welfare—Three for one year

Edward A. DeWitt	646

John H. Perkins	596
Walfred B. Sellman	505
Arthur C. Cummings	504
Blanks	506

Treasurer—For one year.

George E. Smith	756
Blanks	163

Tax Collector—For one year.

Chester A. Foster	731
Blanks	188

Surveyor of Highways—For one year.

Francis C. Moynihan	573
Leland D. Thompson	311
Blanks	35

Tree Warden—For one year.

Rudolph H. Haraden	594
William W. Kinsella	265
Blanks	60

Constables—Three for one year.

Charles F. Poole	633
Edward Frederick	516
Arthur Southwick	425
Frederick L. Rauscher	323
Benjamin A. Dodge	258
Alvin L. Perley	146
Kenneth E. Lombard	37
Blanks	419

School Committee—One for three years.

Grace B. Lamson	631
Raymond H. Stone	209
Blanks	79

Assessor—One for three years.

Robert H. Chittick	560
Roland S. Stone	283
Blanks	79

Library Trustee—One for three years.

Katherine P. Stride	670
Blanks	249

Cemetery Commissioner—One for three years.

Lawrence C. Foster	463
Everett F. Haley	347
Blanks	109

Park Commissioner—One for three years.

Lawrence R. Stone	663
Blanks	256

Park Commissioner—One for two years.

Francis H. Whipple	484
Robert S. Holland	290
Blanks	145

Water Commissioner—One for three years.

Chester H. Knowles	708
Blanks	211

Water Commissioner—One for two years.

Lawrence E. Anderson	473
Andrew MacCurrach	326
Blanks	120

Water Commissioner—One for one year.

George E. Smith	517
Theodore W. Maione	297
Blanks	105

Vote on trapping amendment.

"Shall the operation of section one hundred and five B of Chapter one hundred and thirty-one of the General Laws, requiring for the taking of fur-bearing animals the use of traps that kill at once or take such animals alive unharmed, be suspended within this town?

Yes	243
No	203
Blanks	473

At the closing of the Polls, it was voted that the meeting adjourn for one-half hour.

The meeting was opened at one-thirty (1.30) o'clock p. m. by the Moderator, Oliver Wolcott.

An opening prayer was offered by the Rev. Elmer Eddy.

Article 2.

"To choose and appoint all other Town Officers in such manner as the Town shall determine."

Moderator: I will proceed to read the names of the Field Drivers for last year.

Fred Berry	Merrill S. Lovering
Loring Cook	Ernest M. Barker

The same citizens were unanimously elected as Field Drivers for the ensuing year.

The Moderator then read the names of those who were Measurers of Wood, Lumber and Barks for last year.

Jesse S. Mann	Lester M. Whipple
Ralph Berry	Timothy Moynihan

The same citizens were elected for that office for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 3.

"To hear the report of the Town Officers and of the Finance and Advisory Committee and all other committees and take any action thereon."

It was moved and seconded that the reports be accepted and placed on file.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 4.

"To raise and appropriate money for Schools, Highways and all other town expenses and determine the manner of expending same."

Moderator: I will read the items and then the amount recommended by the Finance Committee to be appropriated and if any one wants to debate any appropriation, if they will say "Pass" that item will be left for further consideration after the others are acted upon in a body.

The Moderator then read the amounts of appropriation as follows:

Selectmen		$1,200 00
Salaries of the Selectmen to be as follows:		
Chairman	$350 00	
2nd Member	250 00	
3rd Member	250 00	
Accounting		1,350 00
Treasury		1,000 00
Salary of Treasurer to be	$750 00	
Collector		1,250 00
Salary of Collector to be	$800 00	

Assessors		1,800 00
Salaries of the Assessors to be as follows:		
Chairman	$350 00	
2nd Member	225 00	
3rd Member	225 00	
Other Finance Accounts		20 00
Law		300 00
Town Clerk		650 00
Salary of Town Clerk to be	$500 00	
Election and Registration		500 00
Town Hall		2,300 00
Water Commissioners		300 00
Police		1,800 00
Fire Department		2,800 00
Sealer		300 00
Moth, Town		1,900 00
Moth, Private Property		1,200 00
Tree Warden		900 00
Forest Fire Warden		200 00
Game Warden		15 00
Health		4,500 00
Salaries of Board of Health to be:		
Chairman	$50 00	
2nd Member	25 00	
3rd Member	25 00	
Inspector of Animals		75 00
Maintenance Essex Sanatorium		1,281 96
Highway		13,000 00
Salary of Surveyor to be	$1,500 00	
Snow		10,700 00
Street Lighting		Passed

Public Welfare		15,500 00
Salaires of Overseers of Public Welfare to be:		
Chairman	$50 00	
2nd Member	25 00	
3rd Member	25 00	
State Aid		400 00
Soldiers' Relief		2,000 00
Schools		Passed
School—Vocational Training		200 00
School—Domestic Science		250 00
School—Athletics		250 00
School Special, Seeding Playground		250 00
Public Library		2,400 00
Parks		150 00
Memorial Day		300 00
Town Reports		600 00
Town Clock		50 00
American Legion		300 00
Reserve Fund		Passed
Boiler Insurance		75 00
Insurance Fund		1,600 00
Cemetery		1,450 00
Salaries of Cemetery Commissioners to be $15.00 each		
Interest		4,000 00
Maturing Debt		8,000 00

Proceeded to vote on the appropriations as read, with the exception of the items "Passed."

Voice vote.

Appropriations made unanimously.

Proceeded to act on the appropriation for $8,400.00 for Street Lighting as "Passed."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the sum of

$8,400.00 be appropriated for street lighting for the current year, and that the selectmen be directed to appoint a committee of five to investigate the desirability of the Town of Hamilton taking over the distribution system and buying current at wholesale or building a municipal plant, said committee to report to the Board of Selectmen, and their report be published in the next annual town report unless previous action has been taken.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

Proceeded to vote on appropriation of $41,950.00 for Schools as "Passed."

Moved by Mr. James Conway and seconded: That the sum of $41,950.00 be appropriated for Schools including the dog tax.

Voice vote.

Motion carried.

Proceeded to vote on appropriation of $7,000.00 for Reserve Fund as "Passed."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000.00 for the Reserve Fund, said sum to be taken and transferred from the Overlay Reserve Fund.

Voice vote.

Motion carried.

ARTICLE 5.

"To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000.00) to be expended for work to be done on the highways, the cemetery, the parks or for fire protection and for materials and implements, to provide work for the needy unemployed of the Town, or take any action thereon."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the Town

appropriate and raise the sum of $15,000.00 to be expended on the highways, cemetery, parks, for fire protection and for material and implements, for the purpose of providing work for the needy unemployed, work to be done under the direction of the Selectmen, who shall have authority to apportion, supervise and expend said $15,000.00, and further that the present unemployment committee be requested to co-operate with the Selectmen in determining to whom work shall be given.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 6.

"To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) to purchase a piece of fire apparatus to take the place of the Model T Ford Chemical now in use by the Fire Department or take any action thereon."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 to purchase a piece of fire apparatus to take the place of the Model T. Ford Chemical now in use by the Fire Department, and further to sell chemical, said purchase and sale to be done by the Board of Fire Engineers with the approval of the Selectmen.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 7.

"To see if the Town will vote to continue the building of permanent highway on Highland Street, said highway to be built jointly by State, County and Town and to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) for the Town's share of the cost of above work."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the Town continue the building of permanent highway on Highland Street, said highway to be built jointly by the state, county and town, and raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the Town's share of said work.

Voice vote.
Motion carried.

Article 8.

"To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $5,239.80 from the Overlay Reserve Fund to cover the following overdraft:

Revenue Deficit 1934 $5,239.80"

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the town raise and appropriate from the tax levy of the present year the sum of $5,239.80 to cover the overdraft on Revenue Deficit 1934.

Voice vote.
Motion unanimously carried.

Article 9.

"To see if the Town will vote to recommend that the Board of Health make provision for the collection of garbage and rubbish in that part of the Town beginning at Miles River Station on Bridge Street and continuing to Essex Street, and along Essex Street to that section known as Hamilton Four Corners (this is to also include School Street, Knowlton Street, Prospect Street, and Appleton Avenue) or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by Nellie C. Knowlton and others."

Moved by Mr. Francis H. Whipple and seconded: That the Town recommend that the Board of Health make provision for the collection of garbage and rubbish in that part of the Town

beginning at Miles River Station on Bridge Street and continuing to Essex Street, and along Essex Street to that section known as Hamilton Four Corners (this is to also include School Street, Knowlton Street, Prospect Street, and Appleton Avenue) and that any person engaged or employed in the performance of this work, must be residents of the Town of Hamilton, and such employee to be paid at the rate of not less than fifty cents (50c) per hour by the person obtaining the contract.

Voice vote.

Motion carried.

ARTICLE 10.

"To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to oil the surface of Linden Street Extension so-called beginning at Union Street and continuing along the road as far as Lois Street, or take any action thereon as petitioned for by LeRoy G. Thayer and others."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the Town recommend to the Surveyor of Highways that he oil the surface of Linden Street Extension so-called beginning at Union Street and continuing along as far as Lois Street payment for the same to be made from the regular highway appropriation.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 11.

"To see if the Town will vote to regrade, drain and oil Lincoln Avenue and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for same, work to be done under supervision of the Surveyor of Highways as petitioned for by Malcolm P. Brown and others."

Moved by Mr. Malcolm P. Brown and seconded: That this article be laid on the table.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 12.

"To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eighteen Hundred Dollars ($1,800.00) to build Appleton Avenue as per plan on file in the Town Clerk's Office. This work is to be done under the supervision of the Surveyor of Highways as petitioned for by Edward H. Sargeant and others."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: that this article be laid on the table.

Voice vote.

Motion declared carried by Moderator.

Seven citizens rose and doubted the vote. The Moderator then called for a standing vote and appointed the following tellers:

Jesse Mann	Oscar Wood	Frank Buzzell
Lawrence Stone	Roland Paine	Wallace Knowlton

Result of standing vote in regard to laying article on the table:

Yes	71
No	84

Motion lost.

Moved by Mr. Edward H. Sargeant and seconded: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,800.00 to build Appleton Avenue as per plan on file in the Town Clerk's Office, the work to be done by labor provided by the Unemployment Committee under the supervision of the Surveyor of Highways.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 13.

"To see if the Town will vote to complete the curbstone and cement sidewalk on the southwestern side of Railroad Avenue running to Willow Street and to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) for the same as petitioned for by Edward P. Gibney and others."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the article be laid on the table.

Voice vote.

Motion declared carried by Moderator.

Seven citizens rose and doubted the vote. The Moderator then called for a standing vote asking the same tellers to serve as under Article 12.

Result of vote in regard to laying article on table:

Yes	64
No	81

Motion lost.

Moved by Mr. Francis C. Moynihan and seconded: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to complete the curbstone and cement sidewalk on the southwestern side of Railroad Avenue running to Willow Street.

Voice vote.

Motion carried.

ARTICLE 14.

"To see if the Town will vote to oil and drain Washington Avenue and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for same or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by Charles R. Grant and others."

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the article be laid on the table.

Voice vote.
Motion carried.

Article 15.

"To see if the Town will vote to accept Union Avenue so-called in Hamilton Park as laid out by the Selectmen as per plan on file at the Town Clerk's office or take any action thereon as petitioned for by Clarence H. Fisher and others.

Moved by Mr. Clarence H. Fisher and seconded: That the Town accept Union Avenue so-called as laid out by the Selectmen and as per plan on file in the Town Clerk's office.

Voice vote.
Motion unanimously carried.

Article 16.

"To see what action the Town will take in regard to changing Chapter I of the Town's By-Laws for the purpose of changing the time and manner of its annual Town Meeting to the end that the business part of the meeting will be held at least one week prior to the election of officers as petitioned for by Everett F. Haley and others."

Moved by Mr. Everett F. Haley and seconded: That Section I of Chapter I of the By-Laws be hereby rescinded and the following inserted in place thereof:

Section 1. The Annual Town Meeting shall be held on the first Monday of March in each year at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, at which time the transaction of Town business in pursuance of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting shall be transacted except the election of Town officers. If the said business of the Annual

Town Meeting is not completed on the evening of the first Monday of March the said meeting may be adjourned to 7.30 o'clock of any evening or to as many evenings as the meeting votes, during the week of the first Monday of March as are necessary to complete the said business. The Election of Town Officers shall be held on the first Tuesday following the second Monday of March. The Polls for the election of said Town Officers shall open not later than 5.45 A. M. and close not earlier than 4.00 P. M.

Section 3. No special Town Meeting shall be called to assemble earlier than 7.30 o'clock P. M.

Voice vote.

Motion carried by a two-thirds vote.

ARTICLE 17.

"To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws."

Moved by Mr. George E. Smith and seconded: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given or may have heretofore been given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 18.

"To see if the Town will authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use agreeable to Chapter 41, Section 37, of the General Laws."

Moved by Mr. Chester A. Foster and seconded: That the Town authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use agreeable to Chapter 41, Section 37, of the General Laws.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

ARTICLE 19.

"To act on any other matter that may legally come before said meeting."

Moved by Mr. James Conway and seconded: That the Town vote to ask the School Committee to change the name of South School to Jonathan Lamson School.

Rising vote.

Motion declared carried.

Moved by Mr. W. W. Bancroft and seconded: That the meeting adjourn until the counting of the ballots is finished.

Voice vote.

Motion unanimously carried.

Moderator declared the meeting adjourned at 2.38 P. M.

RECOUNT OF VOTE FOR SELECTMEN

Hamilton, Mass., March 13, 1935.

To the Registrars of Voters or the Board of Election Commissioners of the Town of Hamilton:

We the undersigned voters of the Town of Hamilton represent that we have reason to believe and do believe that the records of copies of records made by the Election Officers of said Town of the ballots cast at the Election on March 12, 1935 for the office of Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare are erroneous in this respect: That Walfred B. Sellman was credited with more votes than were cast for him, and we believe that a recount of the ballots cast in Town will affect the election of

Walfred B. Sellman
Arthur C. Cummings

voted for at such election.

We therefore ask that the votes cast for such candidates for Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare for the Town of Hamilton be recounted.

Name	Residence April 1, 1934
George Gibney Haraden	Main Street, Hamilton
William W. Bancroft	Gardner Street, Hamilton
Chester H. Knowles	Asbury Street, Hamilton
Avon D. Bradeen	Hamilton Ave., Hamilton
Lawrence R. Stone	Asbury Street, Hamilton
Arthur T. Hitchings	Asbury Street, Hamilton
Lloyd E. Ricker	Highland Street, Hamilton
Albert M. Hussey	Railroad Avenue, Hamilton
George W. Hoy	Hamilton Avenue, Hamilton
Elmer H. Smith	Rust Street, Hamilton
Herman J. Sonia	Railroad Avenue, Hamilton
James H. Conway	Linden Street, Hamilton

William Z. Laski	Mill Street, Hamilton
Roland S. Stone	Main Street, Hamilton
Walfred B. Sellman	Lois Street, Hamilton

The recount was held on Thursday, March 14, 1935.

Results of recount:

Arthur C. Cummings	503
Edward A. DeWitt	647
John H. Perkins	595
Walfred B. Sellman	506
Blanks	506

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS RECORDED

1935

Mary, daughter of
Edward and Mary (Malone) Wallace

Robert, son of
James and Irene (Fortier) D'Amato

Ralph Lewis, son of
Hollis and Margaret (Seaver) Hitchings

Barbara Ann, daughter of
Warren L. and Gladys (White) Hatch

Aiden Mack, son of
James A. and Margaret (Gilligan) Chisolm

Barbara Ann, daughter of
H. LeRoy and Olga (Whitehouse) Doucette

Frances Adrienne, daughter of
Albert C. and Lillian (Wetson) Malone

Lawrence Alexander, son of
Lawrence D. and Hilda (Armitstead) Glover

Donald Spencer, son of
Oscar S. and Marion (Squibb) Lightbody

Richard Arthur, son of
Alexander C. and Constance (Hotchkiss) Begg

Alice Muriel, daughter of
Amos A. and Marion (Lake) Dolliver

Phyllis Patricia, daughter of
Stanley E. and Gertrude (Hitchings) Allen

Iris, daughter of
Frederic and Angela (Forbes) Winthrop

John, son of
William and Margaret (Mackey) Wilson

Joanne, daughter of
Norman E. and Evelyn (Grant) Peatfield

John Alden, son of
Eddie and Mamie (Mercer) Carter

Margaret Mabel, daughter of
Fred. L. and Ruby (Tree) Cahoon

Elizabeth Ann, daughter of
George and Annie (McCool) Brownlie

Catherine Phyllis, daughter of
David E. and Catherine (Wetson) Kinsella

Gordon Clement, son of
Hugh and Mildred (Hitchings) Wentworth

Robert Leroy, son of
Benjamin A. and Ruth (Linehan) Dodge

Sylvia May, daughter of
George and Evelyn (Hatt) Grant

Patricia Ann, daughter of
William W. and Carolyn (Brown) Kinsella

Barbara Ann, daughter of
Elmer and Christina (Magee) Butler

Harold Gilman, Jr., son of
Harold G. and Maud (Burrows) Allen

Roger Clifford, son of
Tom C. and Erma (Bissel) Honeysett

MARRIAGES RECORDED

1935

John J. Donlon of Hamilton, Mass.
Violet Moore of Ipswich, Mass.

Oliver V. Meuse of Hamilton, Mass.
Dorothy L. Cottrell of Salem, Mass.

Augustus F. Costello of Dorchester, Mass.
Cynthia H. Burke of Hamilton, Mass.

John Kearsley Mitchell, Jr., of Villa Nova, Penn.
Susanna S. Minturn of Beverly, Mass.

Fred. L. Cahoon of Hamilton, Mass.
Ruby Tree of Hamilton, Mass.

Amos A. Dolliver of Hamilton, Mass.
Marion H. Lake of Reading, Mass.

Richard B. Hart of Hamilton, Mass.
Florence E. Wetson of Hamilton, Mass.

John H. Peterson of Hamilton, Mass.
Marjorie W. Begg of Hamilton, Mass.

Carl L. Haraden of Hamilton, Mass.
Mildred M. Pickard of Ipswich, Mass.

Verl J. Throckmorton of Mystic, Conn.
Helen B. Foster of Hamilton, Mass.

Walter H. Cullen of Hamilton, Mass.
Lillian Faulkner of Hamilton, Mass.

Frederick M. Carter of Beverly, Mass.
Genesta M. Low of Beverly, Mass.

Thomas Jefferson Davis, Jr., of Beverly, Mass.
Nancy Whitman of Hamilton, Mass.

Luther M. Caverly of Hamilton, Mass.
Adeline T. Bray of Gloucester, Mass.

George S. Smith of Hamilton, Mass.
Alberta M. Tinkham of Middleton, Mass.

Ralph F. Anderson of Stoneham, Mass.
Bessie F. McRae of Hamilton, Mass.

Robert Caverly of Hamilton, Mass.
Dorothy R. Cavanaugh of Hamilton, Mass.

Albert E. Grant of Hamilton, Mass.
Mary E. Doherty of Salem, Mass.

Stanley R. Lenfest of Presque Isle, Maine
Oona Ryan of Hamilton, Mass.

Norman W. Palmer of Beverly, Mass.
Dora E. Hobbs of Beverly, Mass.

Bryce Bates Walton of Hamilton, Mass.
Elizabeth Reed Dunn of Hamilton, Mass.

Henry L. Saunders of Hamilton, Mass.
Frances E. Burke of Hamilton, Mass.

Robert S. Lincoln of Hamilton, Mass.
Thelma M. Smerage of Hamilton, Mass.

Raymond A. Harriman of Lynn, Mass.
Kathleen Manuel of Salem, Mass.

Chester H. Knowles of Hamilton, Mass.
Bertha C. Forniss of Hamilton, Mass.

Henry F. Larchez of Hamilton, Mass.
Elizabeth Lawrie of Wenham, Mass.

William Z. Laski of Hamilton, Mass.
Anna Wansiecoska of Salem, Mass.

John Edward Rhodes of Hamilton, Mass.
Nancy Knowlton of Hamilton, Mass.

Harold Francis Horsman of Ipswich, Mass.
Helen Bessie Stevens of Hamilton, Mass.

DEATHS RECORDED

1934

		Years	Mos.	Days
Sept. 6	Denis Patrick Fitzgerald	31	6	..
1935				
Jan. 6	Jennie R. Brown	65	..	..
Feb. 1	Mary Katherine McDonald	49	..	..
Feb. 5	Emma L. Browne	68	10	9
Feb. 11	Wilber L. Hurlburt	49	..	..
Feb. 14	William Gould	52	..	..
Feb. 18	Susan Hughes	60	..	..
Mar. 1	Frederick H. Ayers	72	7	17
Mar. 16	Mary E. Dodge	80	..	..
Mar. 27	Charles E. Dodge	83	3	14
May 5	Bertha B. Southwick	53	..	..
May 18	Clara B. Wilson	65	9	9
May 25	Charles Alfred Newcomb	66	8	23
May 29	Harriett Sadlier	75	9	2
June 11	Albert Hussey	61	..	..
June 23	Judson S. Bradstreet	49	6	5
June 26	Edward Lesile Beal	62	10	4
June 28	Josephine A. Grant	93	..	1
July 4	Emily J. Adams	78	9	16
July 5	Charles W. Perkins	63	11	..
July 16	Harriett Abergail Pierce	78	11	9
July 31	Effie G. Knowlton	54	11	..

		Years	Mos.	Days
Aug. 12	Elizabeth Moriarty	73	..	..
Aug. 14	John Cullen	74	..	..
Aug. 29	Leslie C. Blenkhorn	53	4	2
Aug. 31	George Thomas Hoyt	77	7	25
Sept. 30	Florence A. Grant	84	..	..
Oct. 24	Eula LaPointe	33	..	..
Nov. 21	Lewis B. Norton	79	2	12
Dec. 12	Mary Cullen	62	3	28

BROUGHT INTO TOWN

Jan. 24	Kingsley Allen Burnham	54	..	..
Mar. 5	—— Callahan	0	0	0
Apr. 8	Fred W. Young	81	9	..
May 16	Charles E. Perkins	35	11	..
May 20	Alice W. Woodbury	52	5	28
June 2	Thomas Dean	44	..	..
July 17	John C. Butler	68	8	13
July 26	—— Morrow		..	..
Aug. 29	Rua Adeline Chandler			4
Oct. 8	Edward Drexel	49	6	26
Nov. 28	Alice Appleton Meyer	73	7	24
Dec. 2	Ralph E. Ayers	69	..	26
Dec. 11	Charles E. Whipple	71	9	25

The past year has been an exceptionally busy one and I wish at this time to thank you all for your splendid co-operation and to express to you my grateful appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE GIBNEY HARADEN,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF HAMILTON COMMITTEE ON UNEMPLOYMENT

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

Greetings:

The Town appropriated for the purposes of Unemployment Relief $15,000.00 on March 12, 1935 and $7,500.00 on January 8, 1935, plus a transfer from the Reserve Fund of $2,126.65. This amount with the balance of $280.90 on January 1, 1935 made $24,907.55 available.

Of this amount $8,672.50 was expended for wages and $12,484.49 for materials, trucking, etc. The balance on December 31, 1935 for Unemployment was $3,750.56.

It will be noticed the amount for material, trucking, etc., is a great deal larger than in other years. This is due to the fact that we have furnished materials for E. R. A. and W. P. A. Projects. In addition to these, the largest Town Relief Project was the building of tar or macadam sidewalks on Bridge Street and the easterly side of Main Street.

All monies voted by the Town for Unemployment purposes are expended under the direction of the Selectmen. It is the duty of the Committee on Unemployment to consider each applicant and if needy assign the amount of work to which each is entitled as follows, viz: A single man who supports only himself receives one and a half days a week or six dollars; a man with one dependent receives two days per week or eight dollars; a man with more than one dependent receives three days a week or twelve dollars, which is the maximum amount per week allowable.

We wish to thank the Selectmen and other Town officials for their hearty cooperation in helping us to carry out the projects and routine work.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. SPRAGUE, *Chairman*
SAMUEL J. TYACK, *Secretary*
HAROLD E. PORTER
HENRY C. JACKSON
SUMNER PINGREE

REPORT OF
THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

GREETINGS:

One does not have to peruse the columns of the daily press to realize the terrific inroads that are constantly being made on Public Welfare throughout the entire country. The Town of Hamilton has by no means been an exception. Let it be known that to those of us who have been entrusted with the municipal funds of this department it has been a most trying period.

It became evident to the Board that with the enormous amount of detail work and investigation required that we could not do justice to the task. It was decided that we engage the service of a trained investigator. People of this type are difficult to obtain due to the heavy demand by other municipalities for such services. After diligent search we secured Hugh A. Daugherty, a member of the Stoneham Board of Public Welfare, who has had fifteen years' experience in this line of work. He has made a thorough and unbiased investigation of all our cases. Under his direction, savings have been made, and more important, the question of doubtful settlements have been cleared up. Since the depression started many families have moved to other municipalities but have a settlement in Hamilton. Work of this nature requires a great amount of investigating and through Mr. Daugherty's efforts, the responsibility of the Town has been eliminated in many such cases. Despite the heavy drain on this Department, we are confident that without his services it would have been much more serious. His services have been engaged for the year 1936.

During the year a large amount of Government commodities

and clothing have been distributed. These are given with no reduction in food orders, as was the ruling of the Government.

We placed eleven boys between the ages of eighteen and twenty-five in the Civilian Conservation Corps during the year, which kept families off relief or reduced the amount of aid.

Our appropriation was $15,500.00, or $2,000.00 less than in 1934. Due to the increased number of recipients and the closing of the E. R. A. work before the W. P. A. was ready to start, our expenses mounted and it was necessary for the Finance Committee to transfer from the Reserve Fund the sum of $3,995.03, making our total expenditures $19,495.03. Reimbursements from all sources totaled $5,884.19. During the year we have aided fifty-three families; twelve of these cases had a settlement outside of Hamilton. We closed the year with no unpaid bills.

The Women's Sewing Project of the W. P. A. now comes under the supervision of this Department. At the present time eleven women are working four days a week sewing, with quarters in the basement of the Jonathan Lamson School. We wish at this time to express our appreciation to the School Committee for the use of this room.

In the past years the Welfare appropriation has been made in one lump sum; but, due to the increased number receiving Mothers' Aid, Old Age Assistance and Outside Aid, this method has not been very satisfactory. This year we are asking that the appropriation be split up into three parts.

Mothers' Aid

There were three cases receiving Mothers' Aid during 1935. Two of these cases have Hamilton residences and one resides outside.

The State Budget System is used as a guide in determining the amount of aid, and cash is usually granted. The State reim-

burses one-third in all settled cases, and in full in unsettled cases. Quarterly visits are made to the homes by the State visitor.

According to the law, each Mothers' Aid case shall be reconsidered at least once a year in order to determine its worthiness. In all of our cases aid was reduced during 1935. The cost of Mothers' Aid was $1,004.00.

Old Age Assistance

On December 31, 1935, we had fifteen active cases in Old Age Assistance. Several cases were closed during the year due to death or the increased ability of relatives to take care of them. We refused five (5) applications for the following reasons:

Children able to support	1
Too much equity in Real Estate	2
Not deserving	1
Sufficient Funds	1

The net weekly per capita cost for 1935 cases averages $5.35.

The total expended for 1935 cases amounted to $4,304.00; reimbursements from the State amounted to $1,259.08 and from cities and towns $356.66, or a total of $1,615.74, which gives a net cost of $2,789.26.

With proposed legislation before the General Court, which if enacted, will lower the age limit for eligibles to Old Age Assistance, it is impossible to accurately anticipate the budget for 1936. It is estimated that fifty local residents come under the sixty-five year limitation, which is fixed as the requirements in the proposed bill.

Outside Relief

The number of outside relief cases has been steadily growing during the past few years. This Board must handle Hamilton settled cases in various parts of the State. Careful consideration is given to each outside case when other cities and towns consult this Board.

Settlement of cases requires consistent study and checking. Great care must be taken in rendering aid where it is expected that reimbursement will be made. During the past year we have succeeded in collecting two bills where the question of settlement has been involved and which have been running for several years.

	Cases	*No. of People Represented*
Outside Relief (Residing in Hamilton) Settlements in Hamilton	24	72
Outside Relief (Residing in Hamilton) Settlements elsewhere	12	46
Outside Relief (Residing in other cities and towns) Settlements in Hamilton	5	72
Outside Relief (Infirmary) Settlements in Hamilton	5	5
Outside Relief (Division of Child Guardianship)	1	1
Outside Relief (Massachusetts Hospital School)	2	2
Outside Relief (State Institution)	1	1
	53	159

In closing, we wish to call your attention to the article in the Warrant, which if accepted, will allow the Board to appoint a Town Physician. We feel that if this is done there will be a saving to the Town of over $1,500.00.

May we at this time express our appreciation to all those who have aided us during the past year?

Respectfully submitted,

WALFRED B. SELLMAN, *Chairman*
JOHN H. PERKINS
EDWARD A. DeWITT

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

GREETINGS:

The Board of Health submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

Garbage and Rubbish Contracts

In accordance with the vote of the Annual Meeting the Board made provision for the collection of garbage and rubbish in that part of the Town beginning at Miles River Station on Bridge Street and continuing to Essex Street and along Essex Street to that section known as Hamilton Four Corners. In addition to the above, collections were started on a section of Farms Road. Despite the additional territory to be covered the bids submitted at the public hearing were $55.00 less than those of the previous year. The Board awarded the contracts to the lowest bidders. The garbage contract was awarded to Margaret F. Harrigan for $1,135.00, and the contract for removing rubbish to Raymond A. Whipple for $785.00. Both contractors have performed their work in a satisfactory manner.

The Board has cooperated with the school authorities in the immunization of school children from diphtheria and vaccination for smallpox; also with the Middleton Sanatorium in their examinations for the prevention of tuberculosis.

Contagious Disease Report

The number of contagious diseases reported during the year were as follows:

Mumps	12
Lobar Pneumonia	4
German Measles	13
Chickenpox	17
Scarlet Fever	2
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1
Tuberculosis	2
Accidental Shooting	1
	52

The Town has been very fortunate in that we have had no epidemic in any of these diseases. With hospital expenses practically nothing, we are able to turn the sum of $1,969.44 back to the Treasurer.

We received reimbursements from other cities and towns of $71.00, and have as of January 1, 1936 outstanding accounts receivable $111.80.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. PERKINS
EDWARD A. DeWITT
WALFRED B. SELLMAN

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

Greetings:

The Water Commissioners herewith submit their first Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

The Board was established last year, under the provisions of Chapter 122, Acts of 1902, which Act authorized the Town to establish a Water System at such future date as the Town saw fit. The Commissioners met following the Town Meeting and organized with George E. Smith as Chairman; Chester H. Knowles, Clerk; and Lawrence E. Anderson as third member of the Board. The Chief of the Fire Department, A. Merrill Cummings, was appointed Supervisor of the System. Following the organization, the Selectmen turned over the supervision of existing water mains, at the present time used for fire protection, to the Water Board.

Work was started during the year on mapping and charting of water mains now installed, that permanent records of all pipe laid, data of gates, valves, and hydrants might be on file. This system of recording may be added to from time to time as future installation of pipe is made. Early in the year the Boston and Maine Railroad Company did considerable work in tightening the water tank without further expense to the Town. On completion of the work, the Selectmen accepted the tank.

The present system comprises a water tank of 50,000 gallon capacity, supplied by an automatic Gould pump of 300 gallon per minute flow, with over a mile of water mains, laid in the following streets: Railroad Avenue, Union Street, Main Street, Walnut Road and Pine Street. The installation of pipe on Walnut Road assures an unlimited supply of water from the Miles River.

This addition to the system last year was made possible by Federal Relief Funds, expended under the supervision of the local Federal Administrator. The water mains already installed provide fire protection, with a saving of approximately 40% in insurance rates to a substantial portion of the Town's valuation.

We wish at this time to express our cordial appreciation to the various Town officials for their cooperation and extend to the citizens our sincere thanks for the privilege of serving them.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. SMITH
LAWRENCE E. ANDERSON
CHESTER H. KNOWLES

REPORT OF THE ASSESSORS

1935

Value of Buildings	$3,662,400 00		
Value of Land	1,462,125 00		
Value of Real Estate		$5,124,525 00	
Value of Personal Estate		601,056 00	
Total Valuation of Town			$5,725,581 00
Tax on Real Estate	$146,561 42		
Tax on Personal Estate	17,190 20		
Tax on Polls	1,376 00		
Total Tax Levy		$165,127 62	
Total Commitment			$165,127 62
Rate per thousand		$28 60	
Number of horses		204	
Number of mules		5	
Number of cows		60	
Number of neat cattle		17	
Number of swine		16	
Number of fowl		1,576	
Number of sheep		20	
Number of acres of land		8,760	
Number of dwellings		877	
Number of persons and corporations assessed		964	

EXPENDITURES

Town Appropriations	$182,104 21	
Deficit in Overlay of Prior Year	1,030 91	

State Tax	7,695 00	
State Parks	40 00	
State Audit	297 02	
County Tax	7,383 66	
Overlay—1935	1,362 62	
Total Expenditures		$199,913 42

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Income Tax	$8,814 62	
Corporation Taxes	463 07	
Race Track Distribution (For Old Age Assistance and Public Welfare)	405 00	
Motor Vehicle Excise	6,500 00	
Licenses	700 00	
Fines	300 00	
Special Assessments (Moth)	1,000 00	
Health and Sanitation	500 00	
Highways	30 00	
Charities	5,000 00	
Old Age Assistance (returned by State)	1,500 00	
Soldiers' Benefits	300 00	
Schools	420 00	
Libraries	25 00	
Cemeteries (other than from Trust Funds and Sale of Lots)	700 00	
Interest on Taxes	1,200 00	
Available Funds (used by authority of Commissioner)	6,928 00	
Total Estimated Receipts		$34,785 69

SUMMARY

Total amount to be raised	$199,913 42	
		$199,913 42
Estimated Receipts	$27,857 69	
Taken from Excess and Deficiency	6,928 00	
688 Polls @ $2.00	1,376 00	
Gain or Loss Account of Fractions	11	
		$36,161 80
Balance Tax on Property	$163,751 62	
Tax on Polls	1,376 00	
Gain or Loss Account of Fractions	11	
Total Commitments		$165,127 73
Total Number of Cars Assessed	1,016	
Valuation of Cars Assessed	$207,030 00	
Total Excise Levy	$5,805 16	

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF HAMILTON

This year several new laws have been passed by the State which affects local taxation.

One of the most important is that no application for abatement on Real Estate or Personal can be accepted by the Assessors unless filed with them on or before October 1, 1936.

Along with this item no application for abatement of any form of taxes will be accepted unless written on a form approved by the Commissioner of Taxation. Forms can be obtained at the Assessor's office in the Town Hall.

When registering your car in 1936 please state model of your

car on your application for registration as this will enable the assessors to value it correctly.

Please read your tax bill carefully.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. SAFFORD
JESSE S. MANN
ROBERT H. CHITTICK
Board of Assessors.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE MUNICIPAL LIGHTING PLANT FOR THE TOWN OF HAMILTON

To the Board of Selectmen:

In compliance with the vote of the Town at the Annual Meeting held in March, 1935, the Committee named by your Board to consider the subject of a Municipal Electric Light Plant for the Town of Hamilton, have held numerous meetings to consider the question, at which times it has been our privilege to meet and interview a number of gentlemen representing the Utility Companies, as well as officials of Municipal Plants.

There are two methods by which the town might enter the electric lighting business:—

First: The complete installation of its own plant. A project of this magnitude should consider the water problem as well as electric lighting, thus dividing first costs of overhead—a maintenance charge for water against a manufacturing cost for electric power. In this manner only, would the K.W.H. costs be brought down to a figure applicable for domestic use.

Second: The purchase of power from a company now in active operation, such as the Beverly Gas and Electric Company or the Municipal Light Department of the Town of Ipswich. This method would entail the installation of a meter at the town line, which would measure the K.W.H. consumption used. The rate charged the town for Kilo Watt Hours used would be based on demand charge; i.e. a peak load basis averaged from time to time by the meter reading of a day's consumption, the highest daily meter figure being used for the basis of such demand charges, the

demand rate to run for a period of twelve months from such time. Naturally the demand charge is always an increasing amount.

Your committee are not in a position to state the costs of either method of installation. We do know, that to properly answer the question, the Town should expend from a thousand to ten thousand dollars, perhaps more, based upon the length of survey required.

During our investigations we have received a mass of information, and the Secretary of your Committee has prepared many graphs for our use. At this point, we desire to include in this report some of the exhibits.

Exhibit A shows a comparison with all Municipal Plants Serving Population under 6,000.

EXHIBIT A

TOWN OF HAMILTON

Comparison with all Municipal Plants Serving Populations under 6,000

Cost of 50 KWH per Month

x = Plants Where Cost is More than Hamilton

	Population 1930	Cost of 50 KWH per Month	Rates as charged	After Deducting Taxes on Basis of Sales to Gen'l Cons.	After Deducting Taxes paid per Customer
Ipswich	5,599	$2 48			x
Templeton	4,159	3 50	x	x	x
Holden	3,871	2 75		x	x
Groton	2,434	2 50			x
Merrimac	2,392	3 50	x	x	x
Groveland	2,336	4 00	x	x	x
West Boylston	2,114	3 00		x	x
Ashburnham	2,079	5 00	x	x	x
Hull	2,047	2 61		x	x
HAMILTON	2,044	3 20	$3 20	$2 51	$2 32
Georgetown	1,853	3 75	x	x	x
Littleton and Boxboro	1,759	2 34			x
Middleton	1,712	4 25	x	x	x
Sterling	1,502	3 50	x	x	x
Chester	1,464	4 75	x	x	x
Rowley	1,356	4 25	x	x	x
Boylston	1,097	3 25	x	x	x
Princeton	717	4 00	x	x	x
Paxton	672	2 65		x	x
Blandford	545	4 00	x	x	x
Russell*	544	3 80	x	x	x

* The village of Woronoco is served by the Strathmore Paper Co.

Exhibit B shows the following Residential Rates of Municipal Companies in Comparison with Hamilton for 1935:

Town	1st K.W.H. Brackett	2nd K.W.H. Brackett	3rd K.W.H. Brackett	Balance K.W.H.
Braintree	.05	.03	.025	.01
Chicopee	.05	.025	.02	.017
Danvers	.065	.04	.03	.02
Boylston	.07	.06	.03	....
Chester	.10	.07	.0525	.04
Georgetown	.09	.08	....	.05
Groveland	.12	....	....	.06
Groton	.06	.055	.045	.04
Hingham	.05	.045	....	.035
Ipswich	.07	.04	.035	.03
Holden	.07	.04	....	.03
Hudson	.055	.035	.025	.015
Stow	.065	.035	.025	.015
Middleboro	.06	.05	....	.03
Lakeville, Rochester	.07	.06	.05	.04
Paxton	.08	....	....	.035
Princeton	.10	.05	....	.03
Middleton	.075	.06	.045	.033
Reading	.06	.03	....	.02
North Reading, Wilmington, Lynnfield Center	.07	.03	....	.02
Shrewsbury	.06	.05	....	.025
Templeton	.09	.07	....	.04
Wellesley	.06	.045	.03	.0225
West Boylston	.06	.04	....	.035

Norwood—charges .09 per K.W.H.

North Attleboro—charges .08 per K.W.H.
Westfield—charges .04 per K.W.H.
Rowley—charges .085 per K.W.H.
Merrimac—charges 10c per K.W.H. with discounts as follows:
If paid by 15th of month:
.03 per K.W.H. on first 200 K.W.H.
.04 per K.W.H. on next 300 K.W.H.
.05 per K.W.H. on balance K.W.H.
Mansfield—charges .09 per K.W.H. with discount of 3c per K.W.H. if paid by 15th of month.

	First 20 K.W.H.	Second 20 K.W.H.	Third 75 K.W.H.	Balance K.W.H.
Hamilton	.08	.06	.04	.03

With a Room Adjustment as follows:
From the first two blocks deduct 4 K.W.H. for each room less than 5.
To the first two blocks add 4 K.W.H. for each room more than 10.

EXHIBIT C.

The following bills were paid by the Town to the Beverly Gas and Electric Company for the year 1934.

Boston and Maine Water Tank	$ 47 04
Town Hall	283 86
Fire Department	140 46
Soldiers' Relief (Outside Relief)	118 52
School Department	563 19
Library (Branch)	20 01
American Legion Rooms	15 00
Street Lighting	8,349 91
Total Amount Paid	$9,537 81

EXHIBIT D.

Gives comparative prices paid by cities for lamp wattage per lamp, during 1934, with Hamilton.

City	No. of lamps 250 c.p.	Cost per lamp	No. of lamps 100 c.p.	Cost per lamp	No. of lamps 60 c.p.	Cost per lamp
Beverly	250	$60 00	309	$32 00	834	$20 00
Brockton	208	33 00	2201	18 00		
Cambridge	254	48 00	27	28 00		
	940	38 00	941	20 00		
Chelsea			389	23 25		
Fall River				19 50		
			498	21 50		
Fitchburg	24	60 00	14	25 00	1140	20 00
Haverhill			1300	23 00		
Hartford	290	20 00				
	2109	16 20				
Leominster			8	26 00	50	21 00
Lowell 80 c.p.	1524	21 05				
Lynn	106	51 00			1901	15 50
Malden	111	45 00			1387	17 50
New Bedford	918	25 56				
	842	34 68	2070	15 12		
Northampton	60	27 24			1073	17 00
	217	39 35				
Pittsfield	192	35 00			1867	17 50
Revere	13	45 00			956	17 50
Somerville	21	39 00	201	20 50		
Springfield	52	45 00	114	25 00		
	95	40 00	1079	23 00		
Hamilton	9	63 50	2	35 00	316	24 50
	new contr.	50 50		33 50		23 00

EXHIBIT E

Selling Company	*Buying Company*	*Kw Hrs.*	*Rate*	*Amount*
Amesbury Electric Light Co.	Town of Merrimac	694,290	2.108	$14,638.81
Ayer Electric Light Co.	Town of Groton	912,600	1.80	16,426.80
Beverly Gas & Electric Co.	Manchester Light Co.	1,141,185	2.2144	25,269.87
Eastern Mass. Electric Co.	Town of Danvers	4,261,700	1.7078	72,782.95
Eastern Mass. Electric Co.	Town of Middleton	570,900	2.1284	12,151.14
Eastern Mass. Electric Co.	Beverly Gas & Electric	10,871,438	1.1791	128,180.59
Eastern Mass. Electric Co.	Gloucester Electric Co.	9,617,940	.7905	76,032.46
Edison Light Company	Town of Concord	3,045,500	2.04	62,075.51
Edison Light Company	Town of Reading	6,844,000	1.134	78,084.31
Edison Light Company	Town of Wellesley	5,740,000	1.34	77,040.40
Gardner Light Co.	Town of Princeton	185,600	2.5	4,640.00
Gardner Light Co.	Town of Templeton	571,792	2.125	12,154.80
Haverhill Electric Co.	Town of Georgetown	560,040	2.62	14,656.85
Haverhill Electric Co.	Town of Groveland	343,671	2.83	9,740.80
Haverhill Electric Co.	Town of Rowley	265,600	2.84	7,548.22
Lowell Electric Light Co.	Town of Littleton	594,800	2.02	12,012.87
Lynn Gas & Electric Co.	Town of Marblehead	1,509,792	1.814	27,390.68
Cambridge Electric Light Co.	Town of Belmont	6,993,700	1.407	98,398.56

Over a period of twelve years from 1922 to 1934, inclusive, the assessed valuation of property of the Beverly Gas and Electric Company in Hamilton has increased from $35,000.00 with taxes paid to the Town of $595.00 to a tax paid in 1934 of $2,130.00 with an assessed valuation of $89,500.00. If the Town should consider seriously the acquisition of an Electric Light Plant, this assessed property would be taken over by the Town at a price agreed upon—or a duplicate type of equipment erected and maintained in place thereof.

A table showing the loss to the Town, if such should be, follows:

Direct tax paid to the Town of Hamilton by Electric Light Company in 1934	$2,130 00
Proportion of Franchise Tax paid by Electric Light Company and redistributed to Town of Hamilton 1934 estimated	250 00
Total Taxes, Loss to Town	$2,380 00

The cost to the Town for wires and pole equipment now in use and owned by the Beverly Gas and Electric Company would be probably over $90,000.00, with the necessary extra equipment added, the total amount would be well over $100,000.00.

After a thorough investigation of the subject, the final conclusions of your Committee are that the Town take no further action at this time toward purchasing or acquiring a Municipal Electric Light Plant.

The Committee have a wealth of material which has been gathered during the investigation too voluminous to include in this report. It is on file for anyone to examine if they so desire.

We desire at this time to extend our thanks to the representatives of Beverly Gas & Electric Company, the Town of Ipswich Municipal Lighting Department, the City Electrician of Beverly,

and the many other gentlemen who have so generously given of their time and knowledge in assisting us in our investigation.

In closing, may we as individual members thank your Honorable Board for the opportunity of having served upon this Committee?

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER H. KNOWLES
ROBERT B. WALSH
FRANK P. TRUSSELL
ELMO O. ADAMS
BERNARD A. CULLEN

REPORT OF THE SURVEYOR OF HIGHWAYS

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

The following report of the Town of Hamilton Highway Department, for the year ending December 31, 1935, is respectfully submitted.

The general program of maintenance was devoted largely to the tar roads—all of which are in good condition. This policy was adopted because the Federal Government announced that some time during the year it would assist in rebuilding most of our dirt, or what we call secondary, roads. This assistance was worth waiting for and while the starting of the work has been delayed, the savings to the Town will more than compensate for the delay.

Our permanent sidewalk program got away to a good start during the year. In Hamilton Centre a half mile of Tar-O-Lithic sidewalk was built by the Town under the direction of the Unemployment Committee. On Main Street this Department constructed about 1500 feet of the same material. In the latter project the Federal Government assisted the Town by paying for all the labor. The building of the concrete sidewalk on Railroad Avenue filled a long-felt need.

In the removal of the car tracks and replacement of permanent road on Railroad Avenue, sponsored by the E.R.A., this Department furnished all the curbing.

In addition, in the building of Harris and Lincoln Avenues, sponsored by the same authorities, the tar and cover was furnished out of the Highway appropriation.

The Massachusetts Department of Public Works states that the cost of permanent construction has never been as low as it is at

the present time. This year the state and County have offered to assist the Town in the completion of Bridge and Highland Streets. Our share of the cost will be very small and I recommend that we take advantage of this opportunity.

The hearty co-operation rendered to this department by the various other departments and Town officials has been very encouraging.

I am glad to take this opportunity also of expressing my appreciation to all the citizens of Hamilton for their assistance and co-operation.

Respectfully,

FRANCIS C. MOYNIHAN,
Surveyor of Highways.

JURY LIST FOR 1936

William A. Brumby, Arlington Street, Retired
Harold A. Daley, Main Street, Grocer
Walter E. Cheever, Knowlton Street, Laborer
Stanley R. Berry, Essex Street, Chauffeur
Wallace H. Knowlton, Bridge Street, Carpenter
James L. Danforth, Union Street, Retired
John J. Corcoran, Highland Street, Foreman
George H. Bisson, Winthrop Street, Carpenter
Carl G. Ricker, Hamilton Avenue, Electrician
Lawrence R. Stone, Asbury Street, Superintendent
Frank B. Crowell, Hamilton Avenue, Painter
Henry T. Rogers, Arlington Street, Machinist
Harold G. Dodd, Walnut Street, Master Plumber
Frank W. Buzzell, Gardner Street, Carpenter
Elmer R. Pope, Walnut Street, Inventor
Walter I. Fowler, Asbury Street, Salesman
Frank H. Tuck, Union Street, Machinist
John Walsh, Maple Street, Gardener
Anthony Bingle, Highland Street, Chauffeur
Elmer L. Butler, Main Street, Gardener
John Mullins, Willow Street, Hostler

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Hamilton, Mass., Jan. 1, 1936.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

GENTLEMEN:

The Engineers of the Fire Department herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

During this period the department has responded to 55 alarms: 21 stills, 3 out of town, 1 false, 1 inhalator and 29 bells. Amount of hose laid: 2½-inch 5400 feet, 1½-inch 1800 feet, ¾-inch 3450 feet; 314 gallons of chemical was used and 2700 gallons of water from booster.

The Ford chemical has been replaced by a modern piece of apparatus using booster tank of 150 gallons and pump.

The unemployed constructed a Water Hole for fire protection on Farms Road.

THE ALARMS ANSWERED DURING 1935

Date	*District*	*Description*	*Owner*	*Location*
Jan. 1	21	House,	S. J. Simpson,	Asbury St.
5	21	House,	Allan Dixon,	Cottage.
7	14	Automobile,	Gerhard Trucking Co.,	Essex.
20	21	House,	Mrs. Nellie Stone,	Railroad Ave.
29	3–3–3	Wenham,	Chas. Allen,	Arbor St.
Feb. 5	Still 23	Chimney,	Miss I. Camman,	Main St.
6	23	Garage,	Alexander Shaw,	Main St.
26	Still 14	Chimney,	Fred Stillings,	Bridge St.
Mar. 17	Still 21	Automobile,	Miss B. Thompson,	Main St.
24	24	Automobile,	Mr. A. F. Burnham,	Main St.

Date	*District*	*Description*	*Owner*	*Location*
25	Still 21	Grass,	Chas. E. Dodge,	Walnut Rd.
26	Still 25	Grass,	B. & M. R.R.,	Farms Road.
27	23	Tool House,	Myopia Hunt Club,	Off Main.
29	21	Grass and brush,	C. E. Dodge and J. Callahan,	Walnut Rd.
Apr. 7	3–3–3	Wenham,	S. M. Hill & Co.,	Cedar St.
7	Still 21	Grass,	Arthur Southwick,	Asbury St.
7	13	Grass,	E. A. Taft,	Woodbury St.
21	14	Grass and brush,	Bayard Tuckerman,	Sagamore St.
24	31	Store,	Mrs. A. E. Peatfield,	Highland St.
25	23	Grass,	A. R. Merrill,	Farms Road.
26	23	Barn,	A. C. Whipple,	Main St.
28	Still 21	Brush,	T. A. Moynihan,	Highland St.
29	Still 24	Grass,	J. H. Proctor,	Gardner St.
29	23	Grass and brush,	B. & M. R.R.,	Main St.
May 6	14	Steam heater,	Fred Stillings,	Bridge St.
11	41	Grass and brush,	T. E. Proctor,	Off Highland.
12	Still 21	Grass and brush,	John Mann,	Off Asbury.
12	Still 24	Chimney,	Chas. Appleton,	Main St.
13	Still 21	Grass and brush,	Arthur Day,	Off Asbury.
24	Still 21	Automobile,	Annie Campbell,	Main St.
June 5	21	Automobile,	Forest Stanley,	Main St.
20	12	Automobile,	John Tuckerman,	Bridge St.
29	41	Inhalator,	Pleasant Pond.	
July 3	Still 23	Dump,	George Harrigan,	Main St.
4	Still 21	Store House,	B. & M. R.R.,	Walnut Rd.
5	Still 24	Dump,	R. A. Whipple,	Moulton St.
Aug. 1	23	Grass and brush,	B. & M. R.R.,	Main St.
16	31	Grass and brush,	Major Patten,	Topsfield Rd.
Sept. 6	23	Automobile,	R. L. Whitman,	Miles River Rd.

Date	*District*	*Description*	*Owner*	*Location*
27	Still 24	Dump,	R. A. Whipple,	Moulton St.
29	24	False,		Main St.
Oct. 15	Still 24	Woods,	F. R. Appleton,	Main St.
16	Still 24	Woods,	F. R. Appleton,	Main St.
16	21	House,	Chas. S. MacDonah,	Maple St.
17	14	Grass and brush,	Claribell Mears,	Essex St.
18	Still 21	Grass and brush,	Arthur Day,	Off Asbury St.
20	Still 21	Grass and brush,	Arthur Day,	Off Asbury St.
24	23	Wax on stove,	S. A. Weldon,	Main St.
Nov. 1	16	Barn,	F. W. Mears Estate,	Essex St.
9	31	Tree,	John Mann,	Highland St.
26	31	House,	Mrs. Geo. Grant,	Washington Ave.
Dec. 6	21	Grass,	Chas. Hill,	Park St.
8	25	Grass and brush,	Harvard College,	Farms Rd.
23	3–3–3	House in Essex,	Mayor Russell,	Pond St.
27	Still 14	Grass and brush,	Mrs. Bailey,	Sagamore St.

We desire at this time to extend our thanks to the citizens and all departments of the Town who have assisted the Department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

A. MERRILL CUMMINGS, *Chief*
JOHN E. CROSS
DOUGLAS H. KNOWLTON
EARL E. JOHNSON
RUDOLPH H. HARADEN

REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

During the past year we have kept our expenditures within our appropriation, 72% of which was spent for labor taken from the unemployed list. Our work has consisted chiefly of cutting the grass on the Memorial Green and Cutler Park.

There is, however, at least two conditions which we feel should be given some consideration this year. First, the wooden wheels on the guns at Memorial Green are beginning to rot away and something will have to be done to replace them. Also, something should be done to eliminate the breaking down of the edge along the Farms roadside by cars. Second, we would like to have the dead trees trimmed out at Chebacco Park and a few benches added.

We feel that there is considerable work that can be done to make our parks better places to enjoy recreation.

We wish to extend our appreciation to all who have assisted us during the past year.

At the present time our equipment consists of:

1 lawn mower
1 wheelbarrow
1 iron rake
2 bamboo rakes
1 edge cutter
1 pair clippers
1 oil can
1 hoe
1 axe

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND H. STONE, *Chairman*
FRANCIS H. WHIPPLE
LAWRENCE R. STONE

REPORT OF
THE CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

Greetings:

The Cemetery Commissioners submit herewith their report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

On November 19, 1935, Mr. Lewis B. Norton, chairman of the Cemetery Commissioners, passed away after a short illness. Mr. Norton took great pride in our cemetery during the years which he served on the Board. Anyone going into the cemetery would always find Mr. Norton there and always ready to assist anyone in any way. He will always be remembered as one who helped to make the cemetery what it is today.

A great improvement has been made by moving the pump house and erecting a memorial to the late George Gibney, who served the town as Cemetery Commissioner. This memorial has been erected where the pump house was situated.

Plans have been drawn and completed for a memorial to our deceased member, Lewis B. Norton, which will be constructed in the spring.

The major improvement this year was the W. P. A. project which rebuilt five avenues in the new part of the cemetery.

These avenues were excavated to the depth of one foot and filled in with gravel, thereby overcoming the muddy condition which existed in the spring of the year.

Upon the death of our chairman it became necessary that we appoint a new member to the board. The Cemetery Commissioners and the board of Selectmen appointed Mr. Everett F. Haley to serve as Commissioner until our annual Town Meeting.

We wish to thank the Unemployed Committee for the assistance they have so gladly given in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE C. FOSTER
RAYMOND A. WHIPPLE
EVERETT F. HALEY

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of the Town of Hamilton:

GREETINGS:

The Trustees of the Public Library herewith submit their report for the year 1935.

Alterations at the Branch Library have improved conditions for the betterment of service.

The report of the Librarian reflects the increased circulation of both fiction and non-fiction; especially is this true for juvenile reading, the increase for this type of reading at the branch increased over 1,000 during 1935. The total addition of books for 1935 was 1,306.

We have tried during the year to increase the efficiency and standard of both libraries and you may rest assured that the Trustees will to the best of their resources and ability continue such work.

We desire at this time to extend to those who have presented books and magazines our sincere thanks and appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER H. KNOWLES
KATHERINE P. STRIDE
ARTHUR W. CHANDLER

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the Public Library:

Herewith is presented the forty-third annual report.

The past year has been a very busy one for our Library. Several large gifts of books were received. All have been catalogued and are ready for distribution. Many books of non-fiction and reference were included, also several sets of the classics.

We extend our thanks to these friends who presented the gifts, books that we were unable to buy with our appropriation, and which were greatly needed.

Our reference section has been built up and attention of the pupils is called to this department.

Pamphlets have been received dealing with the vital topics of the day. These have been filed and may be borrowed by our patrons.

The circulation of books exceeds that of last year by 497. There was a gain at the Main Library of 107, at the Branch Library a gain in the juvenile section of 1088, making a total gain of 815.

In accordance with the vote of the Trustees as of July 28, 1933, "two-thirds of all new books received were sent to the Branch Library."

The interest in magazines still holds, with a circulation of 2125.

There have been 100 new names added to our register. At the Main Library 45 and at the Branch Library 55.

Improvements were made at the Branch Library, making room for another book stack, which was greatly needed.

The Main Library is open Wednesday and Saturday and the Branch Library Tuesday and Friday from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

LYDIA L. HARADEN,
Librarian

STATISTICS

Number of volumes accessioned		17,631
Number of volumes, January 1, 1936		12,651
Number of volumes added in 1935		1,306
Books—gifts	712	
Books—purchased	594	
Circulation including periodicals		22,299
Main Library	6,487	
Branch Library	15,177	
School Deposits	635	
Circulation—Books		20,174
Non-fiction		968
Main Library	497	
Branch Library	471	
Fiction		14,938
Main Library	3,931	
Branch Library	11,007	
Juvenile		4,268
Main Library	984	
Branch Library	2,649	
School Deposits	635	
Circulation Magazines		2,125
Main Library	1,075	
Branch Library	1,050	
Borrowers		980
Main Library	395	
Branch Library	585	
Fines Collected		$4 05

DEPARTMENT OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Hamilton:

Gentlemen — In compliance with General Laws, Chapter 98, Section 34, I herewith submit the Annual Report of this Department for the year 1935.

	Adjusted	Sealed	Condemned	Non-sealed
Scales:				
Platform over 5000 lbs.	..	1	..	..
Platform under 5000 lbs.	..	11	..	..
Counter over 500 lbs.	..	1	..	..
Counter under 500 lbs.	..	8	..	..
Beam up to 500 lbs.	..	1	..	..
Beam under 500 lbs.	..	2	..	..
Spring under 500 lbs.	..	21	..	..
Spring over 500 lbs.	..	5	..	..
Computing	..	9	..	..
Personal Weighing	..	2	..	..
Prescription	..	1	..	..
Weights:				
Avoirdupois	..	22	..	..
Metric	..	5	..	..
Volumetric Measures:				
Liquid	..	33	..	..
Automatic Weighing Devices:				
Gasoline Meters	2	12	..	..
Gasoline Pumps	..	13	..	..
Kerosene Pumps	..	3	..	..
Linear Measures:				
Yard Sticks	..	3	..	..
Vehicle Tanks	..	1	..	..

Trial Weighings and Inspections Required by Law:

	Total	Over	Under	Correct
Peddlers' Licenses	..	..	..	8
Peddlers' Scales	..	..	..	2
Ice Scales	..	..	..	5
Junk Scales	..	..	..	1
Dry Commodities	154	8	10	136
Bread Labels	69	..	..	69

One court conviction for peddling. Fined $10.00.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK B. CROWELL

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit a report of the work performed by the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1935.

Total number of arrests during the year, 21, divided as follows:

Male	20
Female	1
Adults	21
Native born	19
Foreign born	2
Residents	8
Non-residents	13

Offenses

Operating under influence and drunk	4
Breaking, entering and larceny	2
Arrested on warrant	3
Assault	1
Drunk	9
Receiving stolen property	1
Non-support	1

Disposition in Court

Fined	1
Three months House of Correction	5
One month House of Correction	2
Arrested for out-of-town police on warrant	3
Released without arraignment	6
Found guilty of drunken driving and appealed	4
	21

Arrests Made by Officers

Poole	7
Frederick	8
Southwick	3
Haraden	1
Whipple	2
	21

Report to Commissioner of Correction	1
Report to Special Crime Commission	1

Automobile Transfers

By individuals	112
By Class 1 Dealers	84

Summons Served

For out-of-town police	10
Service for local police by out-of-town police	6

Automobile Registration

Registrations revoked in town by Registrar of Motor Vehicles	12
Registration certificates and plates taken by Police and returned to Registrar of Motor Vehicles	17

Automobile Laws

Licenses revoked by Registrar	7
Licenses suspended	5
Total number of complaints investigated by police during the year	376

Miscellaneous

Automobiles:	
Cars reported stolen	15
Automobiles stolen in town	2
Automobiles recovered	3
Property stolen or lost	$400 00
Property recovered	67 00
Serious accidents reported where people were injured	7
Automobile accidents reported with property damage only	15

I wish to most sincerely thank the Board of Selectmen, the Fire Department, the Highway Department, the Finance Committee, the Town Clerk and the Legion Police, who at all times have been ready to assist with the work of the Police Department.

I wish to thank the officers of this department for their ready cooperation and generous donation of their time.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. POOLE
Chief of Police

LEWIS B. NORTON

In Memoriam

LEWIS B. NORTON

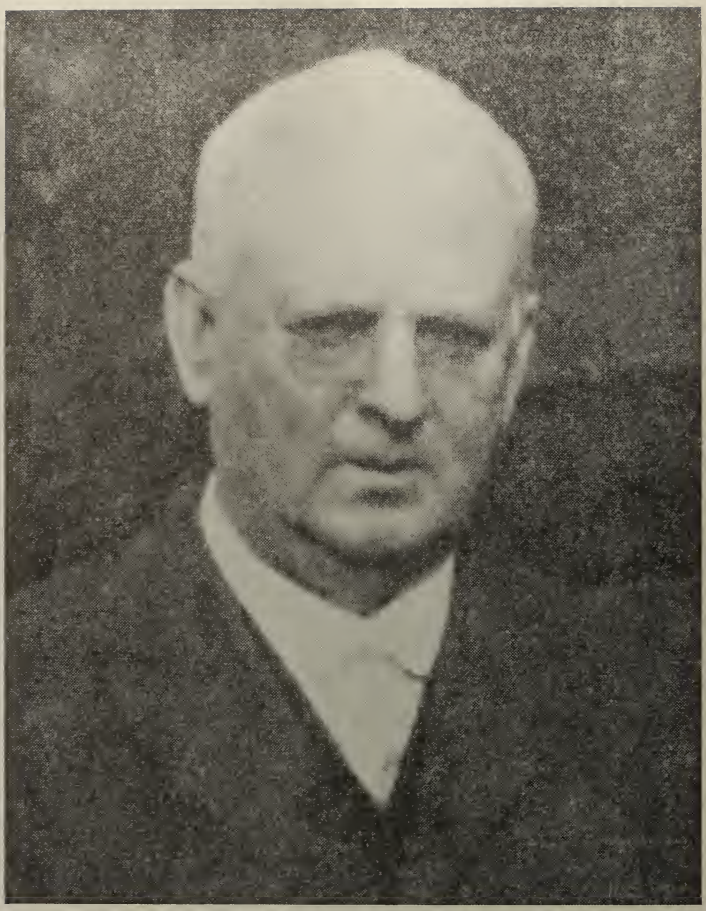
1856 - 1935

Lewis B. Norton, who passed away November 19, 1935, was born in Hamilton September 6, 1856, and had served as Cemetery Commissioner from 1931 to the time of his death.

During the period of his service he devoted a large portion of his time to the development and improvement of the cemetery, in the reclaiming of the grounds, laying out of new avenues, landscaping and in caring for the various lots, the benefits of which work will be reflected in a substantial increase in the revenues of the town in the years to come.

Quiet and unassuming in his manner, he nevertheless always evinced a deep interest in the welfare of the town. He was also prominent for years in the affairs of the Congregational Church and in his local social and community life.

In his early life he had resided in near-by Essex and also in Kennebunkport, Maine, where he was connected with the Street Railway Company, and was the first man to be intrusted with the operation of electric cars at the time of their installation.



CHARLES E. WHIPPLE

In Memoriam

CHARLES E. WHIPPLE

1864 - 1935

Charles E. Whipple, one of the town's most prominent citizens in its civic and social affairs for many years, died December 8, 1935, after an illness of two years.

Born in Wenham, February 15, 1864, he was descended from a long line of Essex County ancestry, his father being John Whipple and his mother Martha Ann (Mears) Whipple.

He had lived in Hamilton from early childhood, and was a part of the town itself. He was at one time Chief of Police, and later became Highway Surveyor, holding the latter office for thirty years, and it may be said that due to his efficiency Hamilton years ago acquired its reputation as being the town of almost perfect roadways. In addition to his highway work, he had been engaged in the ice business for 47 years.

Always interested in fraternal affairs, he had been a member of St. John's Commandery, K. T. of Beverly, and John T. Heard Masonic Lodge of Ipswich. He was also identified with the affairs of the Congregational Church.

Gifted with a genial, happy temperament and generous nature, his first thought ever was to help others, and his charity, generosity, hospitality and kindness were manifold. He was truly the good neighbor, and his passing has left a void in the hearts of all, for to know him was to love him.

We will wait a long time before we have another "Charlie" Whipple.

REPORT OF
THE E. R. A. ADMINISTRATOR

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

This is the second E.R.A. report and covers the period from January 1, 1935 to November 30, 1935.

For the eleven months the town received from the Federal Government the sum of $21,785.00. During this time 3,856 articles of clothing were distributed with a retail value of $5,181.70; also the following amounts of food were distributed:

Roast Beef	7540 lbs.
Mutton	823½ lbs.
Potatoes	13110 lbs.
Cabbage	2640 lbs.
Sugar	106 lbs.
Butter	888 lbs.
Cheese	1071¾ lbs.
Evaporated Milk	1532 cans
Rice	912 lbs.
Hamburg	3605 lbs.
Prunes	470 lbs.

In selecting projects to be done under the E.R.A. program, I took those which would be of permanent value to the town and at the same time represent a minimum expenditure of town money, and I also endeavored to distribute the work so that every section of the town would benefit.

After completing the work on Miles River Road, the next project undertaken was the installation of 3,150 feet of water main. In the installation of this water main the experience of surrounding cities and towns was followed in regard to the installation of gate valves. Gates were put on every hydrant and four gates at

street intersections. While these make a substantial increase in the cost, it has been found in these places that have had long experience with water works to be necessary.

The next projects that were started were Lincoln and Harris Avenues. On Lincoln Avenue we had to install four catch basins and about six hundred feet of 10″ pipe. This took care of a drainage problem that had bothered the residents of this street for a number of years. On both Lincoln and Harris Avenues we excavated about 16″ and put back this depth of gravel. After these Avenues were graded the Surveyor of Highways put on an oiled surface. This holds the gravel in place and should be done on all newly gravelled roads.

During the winter of 1934-35 the bridge on Moulton Street broke down in several places and there were a few temporary repairs made on it. As this is a largely travelled thoroughfare, I felt that the replacement of this bridge would be a very desirable project. After getting the approval of the E.R.A. for the rebuilding of this bridge, I was successful in persuading the County Commissioners to furnish the necessary engineering and also make a cash contribution of $500.00 toward the cost of materials. This work was fully completed by the time the E. R. A. expired, and at a cost of $1,290.65 the town has a permanent cement bridge.

The removal of the car tracks on Railroad Avenue was another E.R.A.project accomplished during 1935. Repairing this street had been discussed a number of times but no action taken. Before starting this work, I consulted with the Surveyor of Highways and he said if the work could be done as an E.R.A. project, he would furnish the curbstone out of the regular Highway appropriation. The completion of this work has assisted in solving the parking problem, as cars now park against the curb instead of in the middle of the road.

In May the new playground at the High School was seeded

down; the town furnishing the fertilizer and seed, and Mr. Pingree paying for the labor. By the summer of 1936 this field should be ready for use.

During the entire eleven months an Apple Pest control project was going on. This covered to a very large extent the removal of wild-cherry trees. Instead of following the usual method of merely cutting off the tops, we grubbed out the roots, which method makes the job much more permanent.

During the summer I was successful in getting an E.R.A. Geodetic crew in town and they established bench marks or levels at points covering the entire town. These bench marks will be of great value in the future installation of a water system, and the cost to the town was less than ten dollars.

This survey also ended a long outstanding difference of opinion in regard to the relative heights of Cilly's and Brown's Hills, by establishing the fact that Brown's Hill is 51 feet higher than Cilly's Hill.

Another project that continued for the entire eleven months was the sewing project. This furnished work for an average of eleven women and is not being continued under the W.P.A.

The F.E.R.A. ended November 30, and was superseded by the W.P.A. under which the work program will be continued. I wish to thank the various Town Officers and others who cooperated with me to make a success of the E.R.A. work program during 1935.

WILLIAM W. BANCROFT

REPORT OF
THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

In submitting a report for the year 1935, two items, Unemployment Relief and Public Welfare, command the greatest amount of attention. In keeping with all other municipalities their demands are constantly growing. They have demanded more time and effort than all others combined. From present indications, it seems as though this situation will continue with us until there is a general improvement in business throughout the country. The Board has worked faithfully to keep it on an economic basis and yet not to cause hardships to those who need aid.

We recommend that the voters take advantage of the generous offer of the State and County in assisting the Town to complete Bridge and Highland Streets. With the balance of $1,752.00 remaining from the construction of Highland Street last year, the small sum of $4,000.00 is expected to be sufficient for the contribution of the Town.

The Committee appointed at the Special Town Meeting in January, 1935, to investigate the Town's electric street contract reported to the Board in the fall of 1935. As a result of their report we signed a new five-year contract with the Beverly Gas & Electric Company at a saving of 7% annually.

This Board with the members of the Boards of Selectmen of Ipswich and Topsfield perambulated the Town lines and boundaries as required by law.

During the past year the Town lost the services of two faithful public officials. The Town mourns the passing of Lewis B. Norton, a member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for the past several years, and Charles E. Whipple, who had served the Town both as Highway Surveyor and Chief of Police. The loss of these

public-spirited citizens leaves a gap that will be very difficult to span.

The assistance of the Unemployment Committee and the Federal Administrator was invaluable. Without their help our Relief problems would have been much worse and we take this opportunity of expressing to them and to the various Town departments our appreciation for their whole-hearted support.

Despite these trying times and many problems, we are confident that there will be a material reduction in the taxes this year.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD A. DeWITT,
JOHN H. PERKINS.
WALFRED B. SELLMAN.

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

ESSEX, ss. *To either of the Constables of the Town of Hamilton,* GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Hamilton, qualified to vote in election and Town affairs to meet in the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, the second day of March, nineteen hundred and thirty-six (March 2, 1936) at seven thirty o'clock in the evening (7:30 P. M.) then and there to act on the following articles, viz.

ARTICLE 1. To bring in your ballots for:

Moderator for one year
Town Clerk for one year
Three Selectmen for one year
Three Overseers of Public Welfare for one year
Treasurer for one year
Tax Collector for one year
One Surveyor of Highways for one year
Tree Warden for one year.
Three Constables for one year.
One Assessor for one year
One Member of School Committee for three years
One Library Trustee for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for one year
One Park Commissioner for three years
One Water Commissioner for three years

The above named officers to be voted for on one ballot on Tuesday the tenth day of March, 1936 (March 10, 1936). The polls will be opened at 5:45 o'clock A. M. and may be closed at 4:00 o'clock P. M.

Article 2. To choose and appoint all other Town Officers in such manner as the Town shall determine.

Article 3. To hear the report of the Town Officers and of the Finance and Advisory Committee and all other committees and take any action thereon.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate money for Schools, Highways and all other town expenses and determine the manner of expending same.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of sixteen thousand dollars ($16,000.00) to be expended for work to be done on the highways, the cemetery, the parks or for fire protection and for materials and implements, to provide work for the needy unemployed of the town, or take any action thereon.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to continue the building of permanent highways on Highland Street and Bridge Street, said highways to be built jointly by the State, County and Town and to raise and appropriate the sum of four thousand and fifty dollars ($4,050.00) for the Town's share of the cost of above work as petitioned for by Leland D. Thompson and others.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to construct a part or the whole of that portion of Chestnut Street laid out and accepted by the Town, March 10, 1925, and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or take any action thereon as petitioned for by Everett F. Haley and others.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to accept Linden Street Extension so called, from Lois Street to Highland Street as per plan on file at the Town Clerk's office, or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by Timothy A. Moynihan and others.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept Lois Street, southwesterly to the Wenham line as per plan on file at the Town Clerk's office, or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by Timothy A. Moynihan and others.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 106A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws to authorize the Selectmen to appoint the School Physician to be the Town Physician.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the Town under tax title procedure, provided that the Selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1937, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use agreeable to Chapter 41, Section 37, of the General Laws.

Article 14. To act on any other matter that may legally come before said meeting.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at the Town Hall, and one at each of the three postoffices in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 10th day of February A. D. 1936.

EDWARD A. DeWITT

JOHN H. PERKINS

WALFRED B. SELLMAN

Selectmen of Hamilton

TOWN OF HAMILTON

REPORT

OF THE

Finance and Advisory Committee

ON THE

Appropriations and Articles

FOR THE

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

MARCH 2, 1936

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RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE AND ADVISORY COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

In 1936 as in 1935 the unemployment situation is the outstanding problem.

During the year 1935 the policy of expending more money for materials was tried, so that work carried on as unemployment jobs would be of permanent value to the town. The results are to be seen in the various jobs completed.

We feel that as long as conditions warrant, this policy should be continued.

Below are the appropriations as recommended, and with the continued co-operation of the various departments, we should have a reduction in the tax rate.

APPROPRIATIONS

	1935 *Appropriation*	1935 *Expended*		1936 *Recommended*
Selectmen	$1,200.00	$1,199.53		$1,300.00
Salaries of Selectmen to be:				
Chairman			$350.00	
2nd Member			250.00	
3rd Member			250.00	
Selectmen Unemployed	22,500.00	21,888.67		
Accounting	1,350.00	1,347.05		1,350.00
Treasury	1,000.00	997.18		1,020.00
Salary of Treasurer to be			750.00	
Collector of Taxes	1,250.00	1,234.66		1,280.00
Salary of Collector to be			800.00	
Assessors	1,800.00	1,799.03		1,800.00
Salaries of Assessors to be:				
Chairman			350.00	
2nd Member			225.00	
3rd Member			225.00	

	1935 *Appropriation*	1935 *Expended*	1936 *Recommended*
Other Finance Accounts	20.00	4.00	10.00
Law	300.00	300.00	300.00
Town Clerk	650.00	646.23	650.00
Salary of Town Clerk to be			500.00
Election and Registration	500.00	523.56*	1,100.00
Town Hall	2,300.00	2,466.38*	2,300.00
Town Hall Painting			750.00
Water Committee	300.00	298.68	300.00
State Census	150.00	121.20	
Police	1,800.00	1,795.73	1,900.00
Fire	2,800.00	3,139.95	3,000.00
Fire—New Truck	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Fire—New Hose			500.00
Moth, Town	1,900.00	1,899.17	1,900.00
Moth, Private Property	1,200.00	1,047.07	1,100.00
Tree Warden	900.00	899.79	900.00
Forest Fire Warden	200.00	146.76	200.00
Game Warden	15.00	10.00	15.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	300.00	299.34	300.00
Health	4,500.00	2,530.56	3,500.00
Inspector of Animals	75.00	63.00	75.00
Highway	13,000.00	12,997.63	13,000.00
Highland Street	5,000.00	3,247.40	
Appleton Avenue	1,800.00	1,799.31	
R. R. Avenue Sidewalk	1,000.00	999.60	
Snow	10,700.00	10,371.47	7,500.00
Street Lighting	8,400.00	8,171.42	8,000.00
Public Welfare	15,500.00	19,514.03*	17,500.00
Soldiers' Relief	2,000.00	1,508.22	1,500.00
State Aid	400.00	480.00*	750.00
Schools	41,385.58	42,145.99*	**41,503.06
Schools, Vocational	200.00	197.00	300.00
Seeding Playground	250.00	220.50	
Athletics	250.00	250.00	
Domestic Science	250.00	250.00	
Fertilizer			50.00
Playground Equipment			150.00
Painting High School			400.00

	1935 *Appropriation*	1935 *Expended*	1936 *Recommended*
Public Library	2,400.00	2,451.97	2,400.00
Parks	150.00	149.90	150.00
Memorial Day	300.00	202.98	300.00
Town Reports	600.00	589.29	600.00
Town Clock	50.00	50.00	150.00
American Legion	300.00	267.83	300.00
Reserve Fund	6,928.00	6,928.00	3,000.00
Boiler Insurance	75.00	71.38	75.00
Insurance Fund	1,600.00	1,328.96	1,600.00
Cemetery	1,450.00	1,871.12	1,450.00
Interest	4,000.00	3,702.15	3,500.00
Maturing Debt	8,000.00	8,000.00	7,000.00
Balance on Water Tank	583.87	583.87	
Revenue Deficit	5,239.80	5,239.80	
Maintenance Essex Sanitorium	1,281.96	1,281.96	
	$182,104.21		$136,728.06
Transferred from Overlay	6,928.00		
Amount Raised by Taxation	$175,176.21		
Article No. 5			16,000.00
Article No. 6			4,050.00
Maintenance Essex Sanatorium			1,776.00
Amount Recommended from Taxes of 1936			$158,554.06

* Overdrafts.

** Plus Dog Tax.

Article No. 5. We recommend the sum of sixteen thousand dollars ($16,000.00). This is sixty-five hundred dollars ($6,500.00) less than last year.

Article No. 6. Under the same very favorable terms as we received last year, the State and County have offered to assist us in completing Highland Street and Bridge Street. There is a balance of seventeen hundred fifty-two dollars and sixty cents ($1,752.60) left from last year's appropriation for Highland Street

which can be used for this work. By using this balance, we can get one and one-fifty miles of permanent road built with an appropriation of only four thousand and fifty dollars from this year's tax levy.

WILLIAM W. BANCROFT, *Chairman.*
GEORGE von L. MEYER.
STANDISH BRADFORD.
EDGAR D. ANDREWS.
JOHN G. KING.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF HAMILTON

FOR THE YEAR

1935

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Hamilton:

The School Committee herewith submits its report of the school system during 1935.

EDUCATIONAL

During the past year the Adelaide Dodge Walsh School has justified its existence. Much of this credit is due to the able instruction of Miss Anna Barron.

There has been no change in teachers at the Jonathan Lamson School. The same curriculum is followed as was last year with success. The vacant room on the first floor is now used for a nursery school under the supervision of Mrs. Mollie Tyacke and Miss Katherine Duffy at no expense to the school department. The sewing project of the women of the W.P.A. is being done in the old chemical laboratory.

At the High School the only change in the personnel of the faculty was the replacement of Miss Bessie McRae by Miss Beatrice Edmondson. The school department was sorry to have lost her services which were invaluable during the past ten years. Mr. Walton has been given charge of the boys' physical education department along with his work as coach of the athletic teams. Part of the work previously assigned to him has now been given to others. We believe that those best suited to a particular work are now engaged in those fields.

The athletic teams endeavor to meet a high standard of sportsmanship and play. While not invariably victorious the players have derived much benefit from their activities.

FINANCIAL

In 1935 the school department received from the town the sum of $41,950.00. This was the regular budget with which the department had to operate its schools. It was entirely spent with the exception of $29.01 which was returned to the town. From our special appropriations we seeded the athletic field in the rear of the High School building and bought equipment for the cafeteria.

During the year of 1936 we will attempt to follow as far as possible the same course of economy. Our regular budget calls for $41,954.79. We are dropping music in both the high and elementary schools which will result in a saving of $195.00. We are also dispensing with the truant officer. To offset this, we have allotted $10.00 for the purchase of phonograph records to be used in music appreciation and $15.00 to be used for the taking of the school census. The sums of $250.00 for athletics and $150.00 for new typewriters have been included in the regular, instead of the special, budget. Consequently our regular budget is for approximately $270.00 less than it was for last year.

The special items are: vocational $300.00, new equipment (desks) $60.00, fertilizer for the front lawn $50.00, and for painting the trimmings on the high school, which are becoming very dry and weathered, $400.00. These bring the special items to $810.00 for the year 1936 as compared with $950.00 for the year 1935.

In view of the fact that it is necessary to make the above changes the committee believes that the high standard of the Hamilton Schools will be maintained.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT ROBERTSON, JR. *Chairman*
FREDERIC WINTHROP, JR. *Secretary*
GRACE B. LAMSON

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee,
Hamilton, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam and Sirs:

My thirteenth annual report is herewith presented for your consideration.

ENROLLMENT—SEPTEMBER, 1935

Grade	*Jonathan Lamson*	*Adelaide Dodge*	*Walsh High*
1	29	6	
2	28		
3	26	2	
4	32	1	
5	31	5	
6	33	4	
7			35
8			33
9			34
10			34
11			25
12			29
Post Graduates			6
Total	179	18	196
Grand Total			393

The grand total is thirty-one less than that of September, 1934.

TEACHERS

There was but one change in the teaching force during the year. Miss Bessie F. McRae, who had served most satisfactorily

in the Commercial Department for ten years, resigned in June to be married.

Miss Beatrice Edmondson was elected to succeed Miss McRae.

ORGANIZATION

The enrollment at the Adelaide Dodge Walsh School continues to be small and therefore requiring the services of but one teacher. By combining classes and not adhering to too close grading of pupils it has been advantageous to the teacher and pupils.

The Coach Class at the Jonathan Lamson School is maintained with an enrollment of ten. Pupils in this group continue, whenever possible, to do a part of each day's work with their grade. In other work they advance according to their ability to do the fundamental work thoroughly. The opportunity given this group to take work in Industrial Arts at the High School as well as to have considerable instruction in handwork related to their daily classes makes the work more interesting and of greater value to the pupils concerned.

Enrollment in the several grades at the Jonathan Lamson School is none too large to allow for thorough work with all pupils and special assistance for the few having difficulty. Progress in these grades is as thorough and rapid as is possible for the pupils' interests.

At the opening of the school year several changes were made in allocation of subjects to be taught by teachers at the High School that each might teach those subjects for which he or she is best fitted. The class and pupil load is now as evenly divided as is possible and thereby teachers are able to make better preparation of their work and give more of their time to those desirous of special assistance.

PROMOTION OF HEALTH

The necessity of a body as nearly one hundred percent perfect as possible is necessary in order that one may obtain from the opportunities offered the fullest degree of satisfaction.

Our health program has a two-fold purpose: to prevent illness and to restore health to those who may be ill. The painstaking efforts of the school physician and school nurse through the thorough physical examination given annually to all pupils and the follow-up work on all cases needing medical or other care assures us of a healthy group of pupils.

The report on immunization against diphtheria shows that less than ten percent of the pupils are not permitted by parents to be immunized. It would hardly seem that any parents would wish their children to suffer with any contagious disease when the same can be easily avoided without expense to the family.

The Chadwick Clinic for detecting tuberculosis in its early stages has now been transferred to the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Middleton for tests and follow-up work with pupils of our schools. We are fortunate in being able to avail ourselves of the services of specialists from the Sanatorium for detecting any cases of tuberculosis in its early stage. The close contact established by the specialists from the Sanatorium with the School Physician, School Nurse and pupil's family physician assures us that beneficial results will be achieved if parental cooperation can be secured.

The Dental Clinic conducted by Dr. Walter R. Philbin at the Jonathan Lamson School affords an opportunity for pupils to have a free examination of their teeth and a report of the same. They may then have their work done by their family dentist or by Dr. Philbin.

STATE REQUIREMENTS

An Act of the last General Court requires that all teachers in our public schools take the "Oath of Allegiance" which is: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the position of.....in.....
(Title or Position) (Designation of School)
according to the best of my ability. ....."
(Signature)

All teachers have complied with this requirement.

The United States flag is displayed on all school buildings in suitable weather, a United States flag is on display at all times in each of the several classrooms and the "Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag" is given as required by law.

SCHOOL GROUNDS

The field about the High School has now been graded and seeded making it possible to develop the grounds for use of the school's outdoor activities.

The areaway in close proximity to the High School building has been greatly improved by the setting out of trees donated by Mr. Frederic Winthrop, Jr., and Mr. Oliver Wolcott. The Welfare Department cooperated in providing labor and trucks for moving the trees. Without their assistance the work could not have been done. With the addition of the necessary evergreens about the flagpole and front foundation of the building we shall have a school building in one of the most attractive settings in the County.

The grounds at the Jonathan Lamson School and Adelaide Dodge Walsh School will be improved as soon as it is possible to secure the necessary labor and trees for the projects.

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

At present there are 179 pupils enrolled at the Jonathan Lamson School. These pupils are on the playground from one to two hours daily but have no permanent equipment to enjoy which would require them to confine their play activities to the school grounds. Due to the fact that the grounds are small for the number of children who use them and that streets border the grounds on two sides it would seem advisable to recommend that consideration be given to providing permanent playground equipment. To provide greater safety for the children than can now be given by teacher supervision either shrubbery or a fence, which would not be unattractive, should be provided for the two sides of the grounds adjacent to the streets. The cost of the equipment and fence would doubtless be far less than expense incurred by the injury to one child.

PROJECTS

A project for building a double tennis court on the High School grounds has been prepared and will soon be submitted to the proper authorities. Other projects covering thorough refinishing jobs for two classrooms and the boiler room at the Lamson School are in preparation for submittal.

SUBJECT MATTER

Without going into details I will say that our emphasis on academic work this year has not been confined to any particular subject of the curriculum but rather devoted to the improvement of the work as a whole. By such a program it has been possible to improve the instruction more specifically as needed and to give greater emphasis to the individual needs of the children. It is

anticipated that such a program of procedure will for the present be of more educational value in solving some of our problems, of which I am aware, than any other procedure.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN D. WHITTIER

January, 1936.

REPORT OF HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr. John D. Whittier,
Superintendent of Schools,
Hamilton, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir:

I present herewith my fourth annual report as Principal of the Hamilton Junior and Senior High School.

The past year has been one of purposeful activity on the part of the pupils. The faculty has been conscientiously competent and sympathetic in their instruction, and I have realized a year of accomplishments along several and varied lines. The splendid cooperation of all school officials made the year one of the best that I have yet experienced in my 12 years of teaching.

The caps and gowns worn by the graduates, excellently delivered speeches and a well-rounded program, all contributed toward making the graduation exercises most impressive. The Senior Reception was held during the evening following graduation and this proved a pleasant and appropriate ending of the High School days of the graduates. The class's gift to the school was a portable moving picture projector. This will be used as an aid to class instruction and it will also serve as a means of entertainment. Visual education is widely recognized by most institutions of learning at the present time and there are many films available.

A majority of the senior class members journeyed to Washington, D. C., during the spring vacation. By all reports they had a pleasant and long-to-be-remembered trip. The accompanying chaperones were Mrs. Edward Sargeant and Bryce Walton. At the present time there are six or more members of the present senior class who are planning to go to Washington this spring.

The local post of the American Legion sponsored a competitive examination on the Constitution of the United States. There was to be a certificate awarded to the boy and girl who received the highest rank on the examination. A disinterested person outside of the school made out the examination, corrected it, and found that Marguerite Bilodeau had the highest score for the girls with George Sprague and Bernard Greeley tied for honors among the boys. The result was that these three pupils were awarded certificates at the graduation exercises by the present State Commander of the American Legion, Mr. John Walsh. This contest will be sponsored again this year.

Due to the fact that good oral English is so essential for success in all walks of life, I have inaugurated a course in public speaking which is open for election by all senior High School pupils. Thirty pupils are now taking advantage of this course. The aim of instruction is to teach individuals the fundamental principles of public speaking and provide them every possible opportunity of speaking before groups of people. I have received splendid cooperation from the several organizations in town. This past Fall organizations invited pupils from the class to speak at their meetings in recognition of American Education Week. This gave the pupils an opportunity to put into practice the principles of effective public speaking. At the present time plans have been made for six members of the class to go to the Concord High School in February and compete in a preliminary state divisional public speaking contest. Winners of this contest will compete later in a state contest.

Pupil participation in school government continues this year. All members of the Student Council are planning to attend the Eastern Division of the State Student Council Association which will be held at the Brighton High School during the month of February. I hold great respect for members of the Council. They

have shown wisdom and foresight; and all matters which concern the betterment of the school are given their careful consideration. Pupils elected to either the Student Council in the Senior High School or to the Student Senate in the Junior High School receive by their election the highest honors which can be paid them by their fellow classmates.

In regard to the locker situation at the school, I want to suggest and even urge parents to please make sure that each article of personal belonging is marked conspicuously so that it can be easily identified. Locker doors are often left unlocked and in times of haste are left open when they are thought to be locked. A certain type of person will always borrow articles when needed, if it is possible. Therefore, pupils must use care to see that lockers are closed and locked at all times. All responsibility of articles left in lockers must be born by the assignee. We do all in our power to assist in the protection of property but we cannot guarantee it.

The program is planned in the Physical Educational Department for the purpose of setting a standard of living among pupils which will be superior to that of the average person. Every pupil has two periods each week set aside for physical education instruction. We aim to have every boy and girl acquire first, a normal growth and organic development; second, a development of those fundamental traits of character which have a direct relation to his fellows; third, an intelligent and healthful interest in physical activity that will carry over into adult life. There is need of a great deal of individual corrective work regarding posture which we recognize and care for so far as we are able.

It is our intention that every pupil will learn the fundamental skills of major sports and understand the fundamentals of game rules so that he or she may be an intelligent observer.

We are planning a public demonstration of the physical educa-

tional work of the school in the Spring. All parents will be interested in this and I am in hopes that as good an attendance will be present as there was for the evening session of school when we recognized American Education Week last November.

The athletic teams which have represented us during the past year have done credit to the school and town. They have won their share of games. Good sportsmanship is coveted above the winning of a game and we strive to follow it when existing conditions are difficult to surmount.

Both teachers and pupils miss the sunny disposition and able instruction of Miss Bessie McRae, but her position is ably filled by Miss Beatrice Edmondson.

I sincerely believe that the school has closely approached the mark which you expressed to me that it would when I first came to Hamilton; namely, that it develop to be the best high school of its size in the State. I want to thank you and the members of the School Committee for the cooperation and advice which I have received. It has been a source of inspiration to me in the proper guidance of school problems.

Respectfully submitted,

ROLAND W. PAYNE

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Superintendent of Schools,

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my annual report as School Nurse in the Town of Hamilton:

Total Enrollment 373

Result of physical examination in September, 1935, by Dr. J. G. Corcoran:

Number examined 373

Defects:		Corrections:	
Tonsils	35	Tonsils	9
Heart	10		
Posture	89		

All pupils are weighed and measured at least three times during the year.

Number found to be 10% or more underweight 41

Result of dental clinic conducted by Dr. Philbin to June, 1935:

Number receiving dental certificates for work completed in clinic 92

Number receiving work in clinic but incomplete 70

Number receiving dental certificates for work done privately 114

Number receiving work privately but incomplete 25

Number of classroom inspections 257

Number of home calls 315

Number of first-aid dressings 476

Number of clerical work hours 150

Number immunized against diphtheria 19

Number who refused immunization	35
Total number immunized to date and attending school	338

Result of eye and ear examination:

Defective eyes	23	Fitted to glasses	3
		Number having glasses changed during year	8
Defective ears	4	Ears treated	1

Parents are sent a notice of all defects found during each school year.

Number of contagious diseases:

Mumps	45	Whooping Cough	14
German Measles	42	Chicken Pox	85
Scarlet Fever	6	Impetigo	15
Ivy	23	Infantile Paralysis	1
Dogwood	12		

Number examined in clinic by Essex County Sanatorium of Middleton:

Number receiving Von Pirquet Test	112
Number reacting to test (positive Von Pirquet)	52
Number X-rayed	52
Number having physical examination	4
Number of cases reported as Hilum	1
Number followed up from last year	4

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE L. STOBBART, R. N.
School Nurse

HOME READING WITH SCHOOL CREDIT

Public Library and Public Schools Co-operating

The following pupils received reading certificates for having read ten or more books from the approved list:

Adelaide Dodge Walsh School

Grade 4

Louise Schulz
Lawrence Berry*
Dorothy Faulkner******

Grade 5

Paul Schulz
Walter Dodge*
Kenneth Faulkner*********
Mary Dewar***

Grade 6

Shirley Beal**

Jonathan Lamson School

Grade 3

Marjorie Wallace
Averill Fellows*
Donald Chittick*
Robert Greeley**
Virginia Sargent*
Robert Perkins
William Larkin
Wilbur Whittier**
Barbara Allen*
Eileen Larkin*
Herbert Fielding***
William Wallace*
Helen Larkin*
Elizabeth Stelline
Robert LeBlanc
Barbara Dodge

Grade 4

Roger Dean Fowler**********
Robert McRae*********
Roger Martin***
Marjorie Hughes*****
Gladys Palm*
Joan Adams***
John Chisholm
Raymond Connor
Ebba Anderson**********
Donald Duclow*****
Sidney Meyer******
Eva Wilson**
Jean Blanchard*
Alene Flynn
Dorothy Stegemann
Milton Lougee

Grade 5

Walter Perkins****
John Cullity*
Donald Sanford*******
Robert Martin**
Shirley Learned*
John Wallace
John Perkins**
Charlotte Stanley**
Victor Tremblay
David Greeley********
Vincent McParland
Sally Porter

Grade 6

Martha Cunningham****
Merrill Smallwood*
Lillian Oser****
Betty Dodge*
Barbara Johnson
Jennie Ross******
Pearl Wilson*
Fritiof Hedin**
John Dolliver
Olof Hedin***
Harry Scneider
Fred Wilson***
Rhoda Emeney**
Dexter Gilchrest
Joseph Wilcox
Gloria Elario***
Mary Danforth***
Mary Stelline*
Francis Carter*
Ernest Day*
Lucy D'Amato
Bertha Ross**
Eleanor Tobyne**
Edith Whittier

Junior-Senior High

Grade 7

Blanche Mandell
Viola Bailey
Christina Butler*
Jane Perkins
Robert Chase

Grade 8

Evelyn Dodge
Mary Moore
Katherine Mann**
Phyllis Hawkins
Dorothy Perkins
Pauline Powers
Clarence Mitchell
Patricia Faulkner
Virginia Breed
Eleanor Thompson*
Alice Maddern*
Ruth Cameron
Bessie Wilcox
Rita Cullity
Gordon McRae
Thomas Millerick

Grade 9

Marguerite Bilodeau*
Van Withee

* Denotes number of stars given for the reading of each five books in addition to the ten required for obtaining certificate.

PENMANSHIP

The following pupils received certificates for most improvement in penmanship during the school year 1934-1935.

Adelaide Dodge Walsh School

Mary Dewar
Lawrence Berry
Louise Schulz
Rae Cavanaugh

Jonathan Lamson School

Anne Nielsen
Arthur Mathison
Robert Upton
Edward Haraden
Mary Anne Cunningham
Barbara Allen
Marjorie Hughes
Betty Thayer
Edward Manthorn
Dorothy Stegemann
Walter Perkins
Vincent Sargent
Dexter Gilchrest
Lillian Oser
Barbara Foster
Robert McDonald
Sally Nielsen
Elisabeth Meyer
Richard Blanchard
Eileen Larkin
Alene Flynn
Mabel Babcock
Marjorie Mann
Florence Baker
Robert Martin
Rhoda Emeney
Frederick Haskell
Joseph Wilcox

ATTENDANCE

The following pupils were perfect in attendance at school during the year 1934-1935:

Jonathan Lamson School

Allan Campbell
Ebba Anderson
John Perkins
Rhoda Emeney
Averill Fellows
Ernest D'Amato
Emily Jane Wetson
Merrill Smallwood

Junior-Senior High

Catherine Cracknell
Irene Tree
Gertrude Sprague
Thelma Mann
Louise Moulton
Walter Fowler

Gordon Thompson
Evelyn Dodge
Amy Dolliver
Robert Chase
Viola Bailey

HONOR LIST

The following pupils received no rank below A or B for the entire school year 1934-1935:

Junior-Senior High

Ruth Cogswell
Betty Bingle
Margaret Bilodeau
Norman Nielsen
Ruth Cameron
Zilda Nickerson
Barbara Maxwell
Myrtle Allen
Bernard Greeley
Gertrude Sprague
Alice Maddern
Louise Moulton

SCHOOL CENSUS

As of October 1, 1935

	Boys	*Girls*
Number between five and seven years of age	29	15
Number between seven and fourteen years of age	129	89
Number between fourteen and sixteen years of age	39	68
Totals	197	172
Total Census		369

AGE OF ADMITTANCE

Pupils entering school in September must have been at least five years of age on April 1st preceding entrance in September.

VACCINATION

Children who have not been vaccinated will not be admitted to school in September unless they present a certificate from a regular practicing physician stating that they are not fit subjects for vaccination. Parents are requested to attend to this matter during the summer vacation, as certificates of vaccination or exemption must be presented at the opening of school to entitle children to admission.

NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL

22—22 repeated at 7.30 a. m. means that there will be no school for the entire day.

22—22 repeated at 12.30 p. m. means there will be no school in the afternoon.

HAMILTON TEACHERS' DIRECTORY, JANUARY 1, 1936

Name	School	Subject or Grade	Salary	Appointment	Education School Last Attended
Roland W. Payne	High, Prin.	Math., Chemistry	$2,600	1932	Columbia University
Dorothy J. Ward	High	Commercial	1,500	1931	Boston University
Beatrice Edmondson	High	Commercial	1,000	1935	Salem State Teachers Col.
Mrs. Laura W. Boyd	High	Senior English	1,750	1925	Emerson College
Frank J. Malone	High	French, Latin	1,500	1931	Boston University
Mrs. Hazel E. Ramer	High	Math., Science	1,600	1921	Salem Normal
Wilhelmenia Ready	High	Junior English	1,100	1934	Salem State Teachers Col.
Edith Anderson	High	Social Science	1,500	1929	Boston University
George W. Bowden	High	Manual Training Algebra, Trigonometry	1,400	1934	Northeastern University
Madeline Featherstone	High	Domestic Science Physical Training	1,000	1934	Columbia University
Bryce B. Walton	High	Hist., Econ., Biol. Physical Training	1,500	1934	Purdue University
Ellen Duffy	J. Lamson	Grade 6	1,300	1927	Hyannis Normal
Margaret Batchelder	J. Lamson	Grade 5	1,300	1920	Salem Normal
Marian C. Joseph	J. Lamson	Grade 4	1,350	1921	Salem Normal
Marjorie Underhill	J. Lamson	Grade 3	1,100	1931	Neil's Kindergarten
Mrs. Marion S. Batchelder	J. Lamson	Grade 2	1,400	1926	Hyannis Normal
Nelly G. Cutting	J. Lamson	Grade 1	1,550	1915	Boston University
Thelma Bailey	J. Lamson	Special	850	1934	Salem State Teachers Col.
Anna Barron	A. D. Walsh	Grades 1-6	850	1934	Salem State Teachers Col.
Grace Jenkins	All	Drawing	50	1933	Mass. School of Art
Maude L. Thomas	All	Music	175	1923	Boston University
Florence Stobbart	All	Nurse	810	1925	Beverly Hospital

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1935

Grade	AGE 4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Total
1		14	18	4														36
2			6	18	4													28
3				9	12	2	3											26
4					12	15	5	2	1									35
5					5	15	12	1			1							34
6							9	14	7	3	2	1						36
7								9	14	9	2	1						35
8								1	21	4	10	1	2					39
9										16	12	4	2	1				35
10											11	13	7	1	1	1		34
11												10	8	4		2		24
12												1	9	12	5	2		29
Totals	14	24	31	33	32	29	27	43	32	38	31	28	18	6	5			391

SCHOOL SAVINGS

Salem Savings Bank

Deposits during 1935	$551 60	
Withdrawals	138 71	
Balance, January 1, 1936		$412 89
Number of depositors		129

TEACHERS AND COURSES PURSUED IN 1935

Teacher	*Course*
Madeline Featherstone	Pattern Study and Design
	Pattern Drafting
	Cultured Aspects of Cooking
	Scientific Aspects of Cooking
Hazel E. Ramer	Methods of Teaching Social Science
Edith M. Anderson	Methods of Teaching Social Science
Wilhelmenia C. Ready	Methods of Teaching Social Science
George W. Bowden	Red Cross First Aid Course
	Sheet Metal Drafting and Sheet Metal Work
Dorothy Ward	Accounting

HAMILTON HIGH SCHOOL
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

June 20, 1935

Maxwell Norman Memorial Auditorium

PROGRAM

Processional

Invocation ..... Rev. W. F. A. Stride

Integer Vitae ..... *Flemming*

Double Quartet

The Boston Latin School ..... John A. Peabody

Salutatorian

Class History ..... Grace M. Cullity

Success: What is it? ..... Thelma Mann

Nightfall in Granada ..... *Bueno*

Chorus

Class Will ..... Grace E. Powers

Presentation of Class Gift ..... Alfred H. McRae

Class President

Class Prophecy ..... Irene L. Tree

A Graduate Looks at Life ..... Margaret D. Sargeant

Valedictorian

Commencement Song ..... *Murray*

Violet Rice, *Soloist*

Chorus

The Jonathan Lamson School ..... Mr. George Smith

Presentation of Awards

Presentation of Diplomas ..... Robert Robertson, Jr.

Chairman School Committee

Benediction ..... Rev. W. F. A. Stride

Recessional

GRADUATES OF 1935

John Prescott Adams
Eileen Mae Armstrong
Virginia Mae Back
Lura Mae Bailey
Mary Hannah Bancroft
Roger Thomas Barron
William George Belisle
Catherine Theresa Cracknell
*Grace Margaret Cullity
Harriet Mary Cushman
Carmella Marion DeLuca
Amos Bradley Dolliver
George Alexander Dunn
John Dunn
Nellie Appleton Emeney
Richard Leo Greeley
James Early Gildart
Robert David Hiller
Dorothy Louise Kirby
Esther Gail Koll
Cornelia Alice MacGregor
*Thelma Mann
Alfred Haskell McRae
Arthur Merrill Moore
*John Amos Peabody
*Grace Elizabeth Powers
Violet Grace Rice
*Margaret Drexel Sargeant
*Irene Louise Tree
Helen Buxton Tuck
Ralph Walter Tuck

* Honor Pupils.

CLASS MOTTO

VINCIT QUI LABORAT

(He conquers who labors)

CLASS COLORS
Green and Gold

CLASS FLOWER
Yellow Tea Rose

CLASS OFFICERS

President	Alfred H. McRae
Vice-President	Dorothy L. Kirby
Secretary	Margaret D. Sargeant
Treasurer	Catherine T. Cracknell

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1936

January 6	Schools open
February 28	Schools close
March 9	Schools open
May 1	Schools close
May 11	Schools open
June 18	Graduation
June 19	Schools close

Summer Vacation

September 9	Schools open
October 12	Holiday
November 11	Holiday
November 25	Schools close at noon
November 30	Schools open
December 23	Schools close

1937

January 4	Schools open
February 19	Schools close
March 1	Schools open
April 16	Schools close
April 26	Schools open
May 31	Memorial Day Observance
June 24	Schools close
June 25	Schools open

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